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GRANGE ENCAMPMENT & FAIR.

The Forty-First Annual Gathering of Patrons of Husbandry Will Surpass all Former Occasions.

Saturday of next week, September 12th, will be the opening day of the forty-first annual Grange Encampment and Fair at Centre Hall. The approaching gathering bids fair to exceed in many ways all former occasions. When the next issue of this paper reaches the nearest patrons Grange Park will have become a tented city with an active population, and by the close of that week, two-thirds of the tent holders will be comfortably located in their canvas tents, ready for a full week of outdoor living.

On Sunday following the opening of the Encampment and Fair, an unprecedented crowd is anticipated. This is due to the large numbers of automobiles that will make Centre Hall their objective point.

The park will be better lighted, the exhibit buildings in better state of condition, and everything in more complete readiness than at any time heretofore. The exhibits will also be larger and of a better class than in previous years.

WASHINGTON DAY.

Tuesday the Washington party candidates will expound the doctrines of that party, and this will be done by—

Gifford Pinchot, candidate for United States Senator.

William Draper Lewis, candidate for governor.

WEDNESDAY DEMOCRATIC DAY.

Wednesday, September 16.h, has been set aside as Democratic Day. The state, congressional, senatorial and legislative candidates will be on the ground to meet the general public. The Democratic candidates who signified their intentions of being here are:

Vance C. McCormick, candidate for governor.

W. T. Creasy, candidate for lieutenant governor.

William McNair, candidate for secretary of internal affairs.

William E. Tobias, candidate for congress.

William H. Patterson, candidate for state senator.

David W. Miller, candidate for legislature.

W. D. Zerby, candidate for member state committee.

Arthur B. Lee, candidate for county chairman.

REPUBLICAN DAY.

Thursday, September 17, will be given over to the Republicans, and the candidates who have expressed their intentions of being on the field are:

Martin G. Brumbaugh, candidate for governor.

Frank B. McClan, candidate for lieutenant governor.

Henry Houck, candidate for secretary of internal affairs.

Charles H. Rowland, candidate for congress.

S. J. Miller, candidate for state senator.

Harry B. Scott, candidate for legislature.

Bumping the Grangers.

The following, taken from the Centre Democrat, is reprinted to correct a misstatement made by the Democratic Watchman in a recent issue.

An announcement was made that Hon. Wm. J. Bryan, Secretary of State in President Wilson's cabinet, would attend the Patrons Exhibition at Centre Hall on Wednesday, September 16th. At no time had Mr. Bryan made such an appointment, nor will he be able to do so, for the reason that his entire time is taken up with important official duties in Washington. We give this information so that our people will not be disappointed. Should Mr. Bryan ever visit this section, the announcement will be made from a reliable source. This misleading announcement did not come from those connected with the management of the Patrons Exhibition—it came through a discredited source.

The purpose of this misstatement is apparent. Had an effort been made to induce Secretary Bryan to come to Grange Park, the Meeks of the Watchman would have been the first to stick pins in the way. When secretary of the Democratic State Committee, Mr. Meek used every possible means to prevent Democratic candidates for state offices to come to the Granger's gathering at Centre Hall. He hates the Grange and its cause today as much as ever, and if it depended on his sanction not a public man of state or national reputation would ever appear on the platform during the Grange Encampment and Fair.

Headquarters on Park.

The Centre Reporter will have its headquarters on Grange Park during the Grange Encampment and Fair, and invites all its patrons and their friends to be "at home" in its tent. The quarters are taken largely for the benefit of the Reporter patrons, and any conveniences found there are for the public's benefit. Come to our quarters as often as you like, and make yourself known and at home.

Trial List.

Civil cases to be disposed of at September court, opening Monday, September 28th, follow:

FIRST WEEK.

Schwanger-Klein Co. vs. S. E. Kimport, appeal.

Forest E. Harter vs. Thomas Scholl, appeal.

Effie and John Taylor vs. Bubb & Son, appeal.

National Engraving Co. vs. T. R. Hamilton, appeal.

Farmer's and Breeder's Natural Reserve Fund Live Stock Ins. Co. vs. E. J. Musser, appeal.

Farmer's and Breeder's Natural Reserve Fund Live Stock Ins. Co. vs. W. F. Colyer, appeal.

Farmer's and Breeder's Natural Reserve Fund Live Stock Ins. Co. vs. Stewart S. Keen, appeal.

D. W. Geiss vs. W. J. Hockman, appeal.

SECOND WEEK.

L. D. Herritt vs. C. Rees, admrs., sci fa sur judgement.

Alfred Cherry vs. Catharine Harper's Exr., assumpsit.

Stamm and Lincoln vs. T. V. Yothers, assumpsit.

Mary H. Holt vs. J. H. Holt's Admrs., sci fa sur judgment.

Bell M. Mattern vs. Irvin G. Gray et al, trespass.

The W. T. Raleigh Medical Co. vs. H. S. Taylor, assumpsit.

Stoney Brook Slate and Brick Co. vs. Centre Brick & Clay Co., assumpsit.

J. D. Wagner vs. C. J. Finkle, trespass.

Samuel Markowitz vs. The Penna. R. R. Co., trespass.

Catharine A. Mulholland vs. M. D. Kelley et al, trespass.

The Monitor Steam Generator Mfg. Co. vs. Lot H. Neff, assumpsit.

Kuler Motor Car Co. vs. John Seibring, Jr. assumpsit.

States' Football Schedule.

Nine big games are listed on Penn State's football schedule this year, chief of which is the game with Harvard, on October 24, at Cambridge. No game with the U. of P. of Philadelphia will be played this year. The schedule follows:

September 26—Westminster College, at State College.

October 3—Muhlenberg College, at State College.

October 10—Gettysburg College, at State College.

October 17—Ursinus College, at State College.

October 24—Harvard University, at Cambridge.

October 31—Lafayette College, at State College.

November 7—Lehigh University, at South Bethlehem.

November 13 (Pennsylvania day)—Michigan Aggies, at State College.

November 26 (Thanksgiving day) University of Pittsburgh, at State College.

Changes in Business Stands.

From the Journal it is learned that the storeroom which has been occupied by H. B. Mensch is being remodeled and enlarged, and will be divided into two separate rooms. One of the rooms will be fitted up for the postoffice in Millheim and the other will be used by R. S. Stover for his jewelry store. Mr. Mensch has moved his stock of clothing into the hardware room for the present, but will soon move into the building which was used as a tinshop by Samuel Weiser, deceased. The hardware store room has been leased by Harry Herr and F. S. Ulrich, who will soon start a 5 and 10 cent store there. After the room is vacated a new front will be put in and other improvements made to the building, making a decided improvement.

County W. C. T. U. Convention a Success.

The County W. C. T. U. convention at Philipsburg, last Thursday and Friday, was an interesting affair and reports from the various local organizations showed that good work was accomplished during the past year. The officers elected for the ensuing year are: Miss Rebecca Rhoads, Bellefonte, president; Mrs. J. P. Harris, Bellefonte, Vice president; Mrs. V. C. Ridge, Blanchard, recording secretary; Miss Savilla Rearick, Centre Hall, treasurer.

Gramley Doesn't Care for Honor.

A dispatch to the North American from Harrisburg says:

Cephas L. Gramley of Centre county, defeated for renomination to the house on the Republican ticket last May, declines to be any sort of a candidate. Gramley went down at the primaries before Harry B. Scott, but friends on the Prohibition ticket wrote in Gramley's name and made him the nominee of that party.

A letter from Gramley turned up at the state department, in which he inquires about the formalities of withdrawing as a candidate and intimates that he will file such a paper.

NEAR-TRAGEDY AT MIFFLINBURG.

Demented Son Fires Two Shots from 32-Calibre Revolver at His Mother, Mrs. (Rev.) Aurand—Corset Stave Saves Her Life.

From Mifflinburg Telegraph, Aug. 28.

Wednesday night of this week, about half past eight o'clock, Arthur Aurand made a desperate attempt to kill his devoted mother, this in a fit of dementia, to which he is subject. It will be remembered that a few years ago, when residing in Snyder county, he made a suicidal effort to kill himself, which failed, and shortly thereafter he was placed in an asylum and kept there until he was pronounced cured.

The particulars of the present exploit are about as follows: He had been to Mazeppa by buggy during the day and reported ill, when his mother drove there and later they returned home in the early evening, each in their own vehicle. After supper they were both in the sitting room, where Mrs. Aurand engaged in reading and conversing with him, when, in a singular style, he jumped from his chair, pulled a revolver from his hip pocket, she screaming, 'Why Arthur, you wouldn't shoot Mother," rushed to the highway in front of their home and he following her to the edge of the curb, when he fired at her twice in quick succession, then dashed into the home and locked the doors. Mrs. Aurand had fallen, but jumped up and was aided into the home of Mr. Roy Burns across the way and Dr. A. H. Hill sent for, who made an examination and found that but one bullet—a 32-calibre—had hit her, and this had struck the steel of her corset, been deflected, causing but two slight abrasions of the skin, the bullet dropping on the floor after disrobing.

Mrs. Aurand was in a frightful nervous condition, as may well be imagined, but thankful to God that her son's act proved futile. He is about 38 years of age—a son by her first husband. Her present husband, Rev. Frederick Aurand, was at prayer meeting while this occurrence took place, and was deeply concerned when apprised of the situation, rushing to her side as quickly as possible. At his instance, and in legal manner, forcible entrance of the house was made at a rear door, near the midnight hour by constable James Miller and his deputies, Daniel Beaver and Edwin Klingman.

Mr. Beaver called in a pleading manner for Aurand to come down stairs and give himself up, which he finally did as well as gave up the revolver. He appeared very penitent and anxious concerning the condition of his mother, and when told she was not seriously hurt, seemed very glad.

He was taken to Lewisburg in Royer's automobile, accompanied by constables Miller and Baker and deputy T. M. Zellers, and placed in the hands of Sheriff Hackenburg, who committed him to jail until further action is taken.

The affair caused great excitement throughout the town.

Turkey Dinner on Grange Park.

Sunday (September 13th) opening of the Grange Encampment and Fair, at Centre Hall, the manager of the boarding house on the park, has arranged to serve an elaborate dinner in which turkey will be the chief meat. Ample provision will be made for the large number of automobile parties and others from a distance that will be on the grounds, while the interests of the regular boarders throughout the week following will not be sacrificed.

Those who have been with us in past years are especially invited to again dine with us, and bring with them their friends.

ROBERT BARTGES, Manager.
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There are numerous trees within the borough limits that need trimming. The branches hang so low that even in dry weather they are a nuisance. In wet weather they are an abomination and an incentive for vociferous language on the part of pedestrians.

TERRIFIC COLLISION.

Of Two Trains at Philipsburg, Pa., Tuesday, Sept. 8th—The Program.

Labor Day, Sept. 7th.: 10:30 a. m. Big Industrial Parade of floats, 15 bands, organizations, etc. Taken by the Lubin Film Co.

1:30 p. m. Band Contest at Athletic Park. Dancing afternoon and evening.

Tuesday, Sept. 8th.: Terrific Collision of two trains on the P. & S. R. R. near Philipsburg to be staged and taken under the direction of the Lubin Film Co., of Philadelphia, Pa., largest Film Co. in the world, who will also stage other attractions on the collision field.

Evening—Mummer's Parade.

Wednesday, Sept. 9th.: Sports day, base ball games and numerous other sports.

NEWS OF 1880.

Notes Taken From Files of The Centre Reporter of Thirty-four Years Ago.

August 19th—The large barn on the farm of Samuel Van Tries, about three and one-half miles west of here, was struck by lightning on Wednesday, about one o'clock, and entirely burned. The farm is occupied by George Swab, who lost his entire crop of wheat, rye, oats and hay, besides most of his wagons and farming implements. A wagon, drill and buggy were saved; the horses and other live stock were gotten out, but three calves were burned. Mr. Van Tries had about 1000 bushels of old corn in the ear which was also burned. The barn and contents were insured in the Centre Hall Company. Mr. Van Tries has an insurance of $800 on the barn and $400 on his crop. Mr. Swab has $1400 insurance on his property.

At the meeting of the Centre County Pomona Grange in this place, Tuesday, it was resolved to hold the annual picnic on the mountain above Centre Hall, Sept. 16.

Died—On the 5th inst., in Aaronsburg, Elenora, widow of Michael Kreamer, aged seventy-two years.

August 26th—The Hancock Club of this place paraded our streets on Monday night, with their new lamps, headed by the Centre Hall brass band. It made quite a fine display.

The Centre Hall boro petition was passed by the grand jury.

$1000 Fund for Town Hall.

The Millheim Civic Club has undertaken the colossal task of raising the funds for the building of a town hall for Millheim, and to date has almost $1000 in cash in its treasury for that purpose. This sum was gathered since April of 1913, when the organization set to work for this definite purpose. The Millheim Civic Club is an organization of ladies, and there is not a drone among them.

Stroubert-Frank.

Charles Stroubert of Hoppleton and Miss Martha Frank of Rebersburg were married last Monday at the United Evangelical parsonage, Loganton. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Frank of Rebersburg and the couple will take up housekeeping there.

Convention of Rural Mail Carriers.

A convention of rural letter carriers will meet in the Court House at Middleburg, Snyder county, Monday, September 7th. All rural carriers and friends of the service are urged to attend. Hon. B. H. Focht will be present, and also Hon. F. L. Dersbem and C. L. Johnston.

H. L. SOULE, Sec'y.

Transfers of Real Estate

Melissa Bowers et al to Edgar L. Morrison, 2 tracts of land in Liberty twp. $1600.

Alfred Thompson et ux to Robert C. Thompson, tract of land in Snow Shoe boro. $100.

William C. Heinle to John J. Myers, 2 tracts of land in Snow Shoe boro. $1.

John I. Thompson et ux to Jacob Edw. Johnstonbaugh, tract of land in Patton twp. $5,000.

Moses Thompson Exrs to George B. Thompson, 2 tracts of land in Patton twp. $9,000.

Centre County Commissioners to J. D. Neidigh, tract of land in Patton twp. $1.

Centre County Commissioners to John Forest Bible, tract of land in Potter twp. $1.

Centre County Commissioners to John Forest Bible, tract of land in Potter twp. $6.

Centre County Commissioners to John Forest Bible, tract of land in Ferguson twp. $5.

William Harpster et ux to Ezra Smith, tract of land in State College boro. $1,250.

Paul R. Harper et ux to Bertha Laird Harper, tract of land in Rush twp. $1.

Dr. Simon S. McCormick et ux to John D. Miller, tract of land in Walker twp. $8,500.

Sebastion Musser et ux to Adam Hosterman, tract of land in Penn twp. $110 63.

Robert Williamson et ux to Mollis Matts, tract of land in S. Philipsburg boro. $260.

Government Land Company to Mary Van Wagner et al, tract of land in Burnside twp. $1.

Emily Holmes et al to Toner K. Dunlap, tract of land in Fergueon twp. $200.

William Shawley's Heirs to Mollie E. Cox, 2 tracts of land in Boggs twp. $800.

J. P. Hagman et ux to John F. Garner, 2 tracts of land in State College boro. $2,000.

John J. Meyers to Leonard H. Vaughman, 2 tracts of land in Snow Shoe boro. $1.

Clyde Smith spent Sunday in Centre Hall.

DIXON'S HEALTH TALKS.

When Johnny or Jane Has a Cold or Sore Throat They Should Remain Home From School, Says Commissioner.

Hundreds of thousands of children will go trooping back to school within the next few days. Immediately following their return, measles, diphtheria, scarlet fever and certain other communicable diseases, which reach their lowest ebb during the vacation period, will increase by leaps and bounds.

The result will be disease and death for the children and more or less disorganization in the schools.

The responsibility for the spread of much of the contagion rests with the parents. Unfortunately in many homes a cold or sore throat is not considered a sufficient excuse for keeping a child at home yet these are the preliminary symptoms of a number of the diseases of childhood. When Johnny or Jane has a cold or a sore throat they should remain at home and have it cared for. If, as often proves to be the case, it is the first stage of scarlet fever or diphtheria this may be of vital importance.

Even if it is a more simple malady a days care may prevent a weeks illness. The child with a cold or sore throat who comes in contact with a source of infection is in an ideal condition to contract disease. So primarily for their own protection and welfare and secondarily for the protection of the other children they should be kept at home.

Many mis-guided parents apparently feel that they are doing their children a great wrong in permitting them to stay out of school on account of what they consider minor ailments.

Regularity of attendance may have a certain importance but it is not worthy of consideration when balanced against health. The parents boast that "our children never miss a day at school", means that in many instances they have been forced to go when they would have been better off at home. No one questions the value of that portion of our education acquired through schooling but the good health of the child is the basis upon which rests the future of the man and woman and it should not be jeopardized for a few hours or days of school work.

The Pennsylvania Potato Patch.

The Pennsylvania Irish potato patch contains 268,000 acres this year and the total production will be approximately 22,383,000 bushels, according to estimates made today by the United States Crop Reporting Board. The condition of the crop is 87 per cent of normal and the price at the present time is averaging around 89 cents per bushel. Pennsylvania ranks sixth with other States in the production of Irish potatoes.

In Continental United States there are 3,708,000 acres planted to this product and this year's production is estimated at 360,614,000 bushels by the Federal Department of Agriculture. This year's crop will exceed the average crop of the past five years by approximately 4,000,000 bushels. The nation's production last year was 331,525,000 bushels, was produced on 3,668,000 acres of land and sold for $227,903,000, or an average of 90 cents per bushel.

Violation of Liquor Laws

The State College Times very strongly condemns the illegal sale of liquors, and cites a definite case in the following paragraph:

There is every indication that intoxicants are again being dispensed by those who have no right to sell them. This was especially true at the picnic held at Hunter's park last week. The executive committee had nothing to do with it and feel somewhat chagrined that the parties interested in the unlawful traffic so far forgot their sense of manhood and for the sake of a few paltry dollars plied their illicit traffic. One man was so drunk that he had to be conveyed home in a wagon. Surely the district attorney ought to get after these blind pigs or speakeasies. Had he been on the picnic grounds last Thursday he would have secured plenty of evidence, enough to send the law breakers up for five-year terms in the pen.

Deaths of Centre Countians.

Joseph Ceader died at the Bellefonte hospital Wednesday of last week, following an operation for hernia. He was sixty-one years of age and for a number of years conducted a bakery business at Bellefonte.

William Kunes, aged seventy-five years, at Blanchard.

Charles M. Warner, died at the Kepler home in Ferguson township, of paralysis of the spine, aged fifty-six years.

Mrs. Susan Glenn Meek, at Altoona. She was born at Fairbrook, Centre county, seventy-six years ago.

John Henry Reed of Coleville, at the Bellefonte hospital, after a short illness with blood poisoning. His age was seventy years.

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS.

HAPPENINGS OF LOCAL INTEREST FROM ALL PARTS

L. L. Smith purchased a new five-passenger Ford last week.

Vacation periods for busy workers are about at an end. They are now ready for a good rest.

The Lodge of Odd Fellows at State College will hold a picnic at Hunters Park, Monday of next week.

Dr. H. H. Longwell will have an office open on Grange Park during the Grange Encampment and Fair.

Miss Matilda Fortney of Altoona spent Wednesday of last week with her friend, Miss Laura Mitterling.

The Dr. Foster residence is being repainted on the interior by Daniel Daup, prior to occupancy by Dr. Longwell.

Mrs. Clyde Smith returned to Centre Hall Saturday after a four weeks' visit to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Henderson, at Howard.

William Keller, while taking in his oats from his few acres near the station, one day last week, was overcome and for a few days was under the doctor's care.

Sunday night a baby girl came to the home of Mr. and Mrs. William F. Colyer, near Old Fort. Besides the parents she is welcomed by her two small brothers.

Rev. J. M. Rearick assisted in the re-dedicatory services of the Lutheran church at Mifflinburg, Sunday, of which his brother, Rev. W. M. Rearick, is pastor.

Former section boss James H. Smetzler for a week was entertained in Altoona by Mr. and Mrs. Guy A. Harshbarger, who frequently come to Centre Hall. Mr. Smetzler was delighted with the trip.

A reunion of the Smith family was held at the home of Mrs. Mary J. Smith in Bellefonte, Friday. The gathering was planned to be held at Hecla Park, but rain interferred. Wm. J. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Smith of Centre Hall were present as well as other sons and daughters from a distance.

Guy W. Jacobs arrived in Centre Hall Saturday from Indianapolis, Indiana. He had been in Texas for the greater part of the summer where he installed refrigerating machinery in several of the principal cities. He will return to his headquarters at York, Thursday.

Centre Hall has enjoyed a greater influx of visitors this summer than for a number of years. Hardly a home but that had its share of visits from relatives and friends, and the number of tourists that made stops long enough to admire the beauty of the town are to be numbered by the hundreds.

In the big railroad smash-up at Philipsburg, next Monday, for the benefit of the Lubin Film Co., will figure two engines, four passenger coaches, and eight coal cars. It will cost the moving picture concern several thousand dollars. The engines will be put under full steam and come together head-on.

Rev. and Mrs. B. F. Bieber and daughter Frances autoed from West Milton last week and after spending a short time with former parishioners at Spring Mills, came to Centre Hall where they were heartily received. Sunday Rev. Bieber conducted Harvest Home services at Centre Hall, Spring Mills and Tusseyville.

Sik Hung Taam is not a laundryman, but an educated Chinaman who paid a visit to Kerlin's Grand View Poultry Farm one day last week. He is a graduate of Christian College, Canton, China, and at present is a student of animal husbandry at State College. He was delighted with the sight of several thousand White Leghorns.

If there are any uncanny spots along the main street or to the rear of your properties, give them a going over before the opening of the Grange Encampment and Fair. Centre Hall, from time immemorial, has had its name closely associated with cleanliness, and everyone should do his part to keep it so. The borough authorities removed one of the greatest eye-sores when it drained the flat, and it now remains for the individuals to brush up every nook and corner.

Mrs. John G. King received a cablegram message Friday, to the effect that her brother, H. D. W. English, who together with his wife and daughter, Miss Dorothy, and Mrs. George W. English, had been touring Europe by automobile at the outbreak of hostilities, were now in London and on September 8th expected to set sail for America. The party had many thrilling experiences in their attempt to leave the war zone and in making the run from Vienna, Austria, to Zurich, Switzerland, passed in close proximity to the German troops.

"TO BERLIN IN THREE WEEKS"

Alleged to Be Aim of Russian Offensive Plan.

TO GO AROUND FORTRESSES

Germans Still Falling Back—Important Gains Claimed By Saint Petersburg In Austria.

St. Petersburg, via Rome.—That the plans of the Russian Army contemplate an attack on Berlin within three weeks is officially admitted here. At the same time it was stated that not only has the Russian mobilization been completed but that 8,000,000 men are now under arms.

The troops have been divided into four armies of 2,000,000 each. These armies are being sent into the field from the inland mobilization centres to operate one behind the other, the armies in the rear filling the gaps in the ranks of those in front after each general engagement.

Not To Storm Forts.

Because of the enormous forces that will be in the field it is reported to be the general plan of the Russian offensive not to try to take the German chain of main forts by storm. Instead the Russians will attempt to isolate each of them, leaving a large enough force at every point to keep the garrisons bottled up and also to prevent any attacks on their flanks or their own lines of communication.

The main Russian advance, it is expected, will approach Posen from the south, crossing the south bend of the Warta river some miles from the Russian frontier, and then move against Posen between the Oder and Warta rivers.

Russians Say They Took Tilsit.

St. Petersburg, via London.—It is officially announced that the Russians have occupied Tilsit, a town 60 miles northeast of Koenigsberg, East Prussia.

The following official communication was also made public:

"Our offensive both in East Prussia and Galicia developed increasing success on August 25. The Germans hastily retreated everywhere toward Koenigsberg and Allenstein."

In Galicia our troops are marching rapidly on Lemberg. Our cavalry has pursued the enemy everywhere on our line, our advance frequently engaging the Austrians, who each time have been beaten and routed.

Profess To Fear Poison.

A Russian army order prohibits the use of food and forage abandoned by the Germans in East Prussia because of cases of poisoning which have occurred at Eydtkuhnen, Gumbinnen and Insterburg.

AUSTRIA FOLLOWS ALLY

Tokio Professes Surprise—Washington Notified and Issues Proclamation of Neutrality.

Tokio.—The Austrian Ambassador, Baron Mueller de Szentgyorgy, has been recalled.

The situation between Japan and Austria is described here as a "rupture of diplomatic relations, not war."

The Austro-Hungarian Ambassador explained to Premier Kato that Austria felt in duty bound to follow her ally and withdraw her Ambassador from Japan.

This evening M. Kato sent his secretary to the diplomat carrying the latter's passport.

The news of the declaration of war by Austria-Hungary upon Japan, following the official announcement of the disarming of the Austrian cruiser Kaiserin Elizabeth, in the port of Tsingtau, caused surprise at Tokio. It has been hoped here that Austria-Hungary, having but small interests in the Far East, would not force a breach of relations with Tokio, especially as Austria-Hungary always has been regarded as friendly to Japan. The Austrian Ambassador and the members of his staff always have been popular here.

Washington Informed.

Washington, D. C.—Ambassador Dumba of Austria formally notified the United States that diplomatic relations between Austria and Japan had been severed, but made no reference to any declaration of war.

The Austrian Ambassador advised the State Department that the Austrian Emperor had ordered the cruiser Kaiserin Elizabeth to join the German fleet off Tsingtau. Last Monday instructions were sent to the officers of the ship to dismantle it and officials here do not know as yet whether the change of decision at Vienna reached the officers of the cruiser in time to prevent her from being abandoned.

The Japanese Embassy here was notified from Tokio that diplomatic relations with Austria-Hungary had been formally severed when the Austrian Ambassador at Tokio asked the Japanese Government for his passports.

GERMANS WIN VICTORIES ON LAND; DEFEATED ON THE SEA

WAR NEWS BRIEFLY TOLD.

The armies of the Allies, after nine days of fighting, have been badly defeated, according to an official dispatch from Berlin.

The Germans claim, in the same dispatch, that the British were badly defeated at Maubeuge, and in danger of being surrounded.

Another official German dispatch announces that the allied armies in the North are actually surrounded and that the city of Louvain, Belgium, was destroyed because of civilians attacking the invaders.

The Paris War Office announced that the situation remained the same and that German activity has slackened.

Premier Asquith stated that on Wednesday the British Army was attacked by a superior force of Germans and that the losses on both sides were enormous.

East Indian troops are already on the way to reinforce the British in France.

Ostend is defended by a large force of British marines. Berlin claims that German troops are within a short distance of Ostend.

Occupation of Tilsit, in East Prussia, by Russians is confirmed. Additional armies are to invade West Prussia, and march on Berlin, according to Russian officials. Emperor Wilhelm has wired his Cabinet to organize all possible relief for Prussia.

The last reserves of Germany have been called out.

Three German cruisers and two destroyers were sunk by the British off Heligoland. Many prizes of German merchantment are reported to have been taken by British warships.

The Belgian Congo has been attacked by German troops, according to a dispatch from Libreville, in the French, Congo.

London.—The first important naval action of the war was fought Friday in Heligoland Bight, resulting in a smashing blow delivered by the British cruisers, destroyers and submarines against the German scouting squadron.

The net damage to the German fleet was two cruisers and two destroyers sunk, and one cruiser set afire and last seen in flight in a sinking condition.

The officer in chief command of the British force was Rear Admiral Sir David Beatty, who married the daughter of Marshal Field, of Chicago.

Following is the text issued by the official press bureau:

"Early Friday morning a concerted operation of some consequence was attempted against the Germans in Heligoland Bight.

"A strong force of destroyers, supported by light cruisers and battle cruisers and working in conjunction with the submarines, intercepted and attacked the German destroyers and cruisers guarding the approaches to the German coast. Two German destroyers were sunk and many damaged.

"The enemy's cruisers were engaged by the British cruisers and battle cruisers. The first light cruiser squadron sank the Mainz, receiving only slight damage. The first battle cruiser squadron sank one cruiser of the Koeln class, and another cruiser disappeared in the mist, heavily on fire and in a sinking condition.

"All the German cruisers engaged were thus disposed of. The battle cruiser squadron, although attacked by submarines and floating mines, successively evaded them and is undamaged. The light cruiser squadron suffered no casualties. The flotilla cruiser Amethyst and the destroyer Laertes are damaged. The British loss of life is reported as not heavy."

The importance of this daring raid is the fact that the British fleet passed behind Germany's heavily armed outpost at Heligoland Island and engaged with signal success the German mosquito fleet guarding the mouth of the Elbe.

The Island of Heligoland, which lies 45 miles off the mouths of the Rivers Elbe and Weser, always has been regarded a point of great strategic value for the protection of the Kaiser Wilhelm Canal and otherwise in the naval defence of Germany. Recent reports that it has a large part of the flower of the German navy lay in the waters adjacent to the mouths of the Elbe and Weser, and in the Kaiser Wilhelm Canal.

FURIOUS GERMAN ASSAULTS.

London (Saturday).—The battle in France continues and the losses are enormous. The British admit heavy casualties. The Germans are hurling themselves against the entire line of the allies with unprecedented fury.

A dispatch from Boulogne says that German troops broke through the French lines, near Arras, in the Province of Pas de Calais. The French moved up with rapidity, it is declared, and have the situation well in hand.

The dispatch says that the allied troops are being swiftly arranged to deal with any further attempt to break through the line between Dunkirk and Lille.

There was heavy fighting at Marchiennes when the Germans broke through the French line. The allies acquitted themselves well, however, and succeeded in pushing the German advance forces back on their main body. The German advance forces were also repulsed at Pont a Marcq.

There was also fighting at Tournai, where the Germans were repulsed. It is believed here that the Germans have occupied Valenciennes, but the British are reported to have driven back the enemy near Mons.

There is nothing to indicate that the Allies' line from Mons to Conde has been seriously turned.

French Industrial centers, such as Roubaix and Turcoing, are frequently visited by German cavalry and are occupied and evacuated every day.

Berlin.—By wireless (via Sayville, L. I.):

Headquarters has issued an official report declaring that the western enemy has everywhere been defeated and is in full retreat after nine days' fighting.

General Von Kluk defeated the English Army at Maubeuge, renewed the attack and threatened to surround it.

Generals Von Buelow and Von Hausen completely defeated the Franco-Belgian forces, about eight corps, between the Sambre and the Namur and the Meuse in several days' battle.

The attack on Maubeuge was opened by the Grand Duke Albrecht of Wurtemburg, who defeated and pursued the enemy across the Semois and the Meuse.

The German Crown Prince is advancing toward the Meuse, and the Crown Prince of Bavaria repulsed an attack from Nancy and the south.

General von Herringen continues the pursuit southward through the Vosges.

Four Belgian divisions attacking Tuesday and Wednesday from Antwerp have been repulsed, losing guns and many prisoners. The Belgian population generally participated in the fighting necessitating severe repressive measures.

The corps of the last German reserves have been called out to guard communications.

RUSSIANS DRIVE A WEDGE.

London.—The Russian troops are pouring into Germany by the tens of thousands. There are 5,000,000 on the way, with 10,000,000 more to come if necessary. Every day they are moving faster.

They have taken a vigorous offensive in Galicia, and the Germans are rapidly falling back upon their defense at Koenigsberg on the road to Berlin. Austrian troops are being rushed from Bosina to Galicia to back up the Germans, who already have lost very heavily.

In Southern East Prussia the Germans have evacuated the district of Masurenland.

The Russians sustained no check in this very difficult country, and they occupied its western outlets. It is confirmed that they captured a hundred guns from the enemy.

The Russians have also occupied Tilset, a town 60 miles northeast of Koenigsberg.

The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Post, in describing the operations in East Prussia, tells of the difficulties which nature has placed in the way of the Russian advance, and says the Germans had enormously multiplied these difficulties by a modern adaptation of age-old methods.

"Lakelets and marshes were sown with rifle pits, and wherever practicable redoubts of felled timber were placed. Everywhere there were formidable wire entanglements."

AUSTRIA DECLARES WAR ON BELGIUM.

Vienna, via London.—Austria Friday declared war on Belgium. The Belgian Ambassador was handed his passports at the Foreign Office, all diplomatic relations were broken off and the way cleared for Austrian troops joining the Germans in the operations on Belgian soil if necessary.

Until Friday Belgium was the only one of the allied powers at war with Germany alone. France, England and Russia had heretofore made declarations against both Austria and Germany.

AUSTRIAN LOSSES MARKED UP.

London.—A dispatch from Paris to Reuter's Telegram Company says:

"The losses of the Austrians in the battle of the Drina continue to grow, according to telegrams from Nish. The latest aver that out of 300,000 Austrians engaged 15,000 were killed, 30,000 wounded and 15,000 made prisoners. Seventy-five guns were captured."

With the re-occupation of Shabats by the Servians, says a dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph from Cettinje, Montenegro, the 4,000 Austrian prisoners have been doubled, 4,000 additional men having been captured between Losauza and Shabats during the Servian march to occupy the latter town. The Servian casualties in retaking Shabats are admitted to have been very heavy.

WILHELM DER GROSSE SUNK

Sent to Bottom By a British Cruiser.

THE SURVIVORS LANDED

German Armed Merchant Cruiser Meets Destruction Off West Coast Of Africa—Had Been Interfering With Traffic.

London.—The Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse has been sunk off the west coast of Africa by the British cruiser Highflyer.

Winston Spencer Churchill, first lord of the admiralty, announced the sinking of the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse in the House of Commons. He said: "The admiralty has just received intelligence that the German armed merchant cruiser Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, of 14,000 tons and armed with ten 4-inch guns, has been sunk by the H. M. S. Highflyer off the west coast of Africa.

"This is the vessel which has been interfering with traffic between this country and the cape and is one of the very few German armed auxiliary cruisers which succeeded in getting to sea. The survivors were landed before the vessel sank. The Highflyer had one killed and five wounded.

The Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse was one of the palatial steamers of the North German Lloyd Line. At the outbreak of the war she was converted into an armed cruiser and since has been reported active in searching for British merchantmen. She has a tonnage of 14,349 and was built in 1897. She was 626 feet long with a beam of 66 feet.

It was on this vessel that the late Mayor Gaynor, of New York, was shot as he was about to sail for Europe.

GERMAN CRUISER SUNK.

Magdeburg Attacked By Russian Fleet—17 Killed, 25 Wounded.

Berlin, via Amsterdam and London.—The German Admiralty has issued the following:

"The light cruiser Magdeburg ran ashore in a fog on the island of Odenburg, in the Gulf of Finland. Owing to thick weather other German warships in the vicinity were unable to render assistance and all efforts to float the vessel having failed, the captain decided to sacrifice his ship, as a superior Russian naval force was preparing to attack.

"Under a heavy fire from the Russian fleet a majority of the cruiser's crew was saved by the German torpedo boat 'V-26.' Seventeen men were killed, 25 wounded and 85, including the captain, are missing. The Magdeburg was blown up."

RUSSIAN HONORS WITHDRAWN.

No Honorary Commands and Orders For Hostile Rulers.

London.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Times says:

"Military circles are much impressed by an order dismissing the German and Austrian sovereigns and princes from honorary colonelships in Russian regiments and depriving them of Russian decoration.

"This has never been done in any war. The Emperor has positively forbidden Russian officers to wear German or Austrian decorations. These extreme measures were decided upon at a special council held in Moscow and are due to the alleged inhuman treatment of Russian subjects by Germans and Austrians and to the indignities said to have been inflicted on members of the Russian imperial family."

FIRST BRITISH WOUNDED HOME.

London.—The first British wounded from the Continent, numbering about 30, arrived by steamer at Folkstone from Boulogne. They were driven in motorcars to the Shorn Cliffe Hospital and were loudly cheered by large crowds assembled outside the harbor gates.

HOW ZEPPELINS DROP BOMBS.

London.—The method used by Zeppelin airships in dropping bombs has been described as follows by an English refugee who has just arrived here from Belgium:

The dirigible hovers over its objective at a sufficient altitude to keep it out of range of the enemy's guns. At the same time it lowers a steel cage attached to a steel wire rope 2,000 or 3,000 feet long. This cage is divided into compartments, and it carries one man, whose duty it is to throw down the bombs.

The cage is sufficiently strong to make rifle fire against it ineffective, and because of its small size and the fact that it is kept constantly in motion it is very difficult for heavy guns to hit it.

KEYSTONE STATE IN SHORT ORDER

Latest News Happenings Gathered From Here and There.

TOLD IN SHORT PARAGRAPHS

Patriotic Order Sons of America Oppose the Manufacture Of Intoxicating Liquors As a Beverage. Automobile Demolished.

Nathan Lavine, sixty-three years old, of Brooklyn, N. Y., was hit on the head with a broomstick in the barn of John and Peter Wanke, brothers, at Newport, and died in the Palmerton Hospital. He says he entered the barn by mistake. The brothers, who have been arrested on a charge of murder and are in the Easton jail, say they had been missing milk for some time and were on watch for the thief. Lavine entered and a fight ensued.

Because the family bread winners have returned to Europe to fight in the present war, the poor directors of Western Pennsylvania counties are being besieged with applications for aid from destitute foreign families. In the coal and coke region, which is embraced in Westmoreland, Washington, Fayette, Greene and Somerset counties, the task of providing the deserted families with food is becoming acute.

Michael Lavelle, twenty-five years old, of Centralia, was blown to atoms at Packer No. 5 Colliery, Shamokin, when a box containing thirty sticks of dynamite exploded. He was employed as a driller and was about to light a charge when the explosion occurred. His body was picked up in small pieces. The deceased returned from Colorado a few days ago and was working his first day.

A blow was aimed at the saloon in resolutions adopted by the State Camp, Patriotic Order Sons of America, at York. Resolutions urged Congress to oppose the manufacture of intoxicating liquors as a beverage. Furtherance of the immigration bill vetoed by President Taft and now before the United States Senate was the aim of another resolution.

Dominick Kriner, a hermit, was found senseless in bed at Shamokin from paralysis. It is supposed he was stricken Saturday. Police searched the house at the request of neighbors. Under his pillow was a revolver and $17. A pass book showed he had $500 in a bank. It was thought he was penniless. He was removed to the almshouse in a dying condition.

Owing to the failure of Mt. Carmel township authorities to stop the practice of a large number of inhabitants of Kulpmont and vicinity of hurling missles at automobiles, members of the Mt. Carmel and Shamokin auto clubs petitioned Superintendent Groome, of the State Police, for a troop of constabulary to arrest the alleged law breakers.

The Knights of Equity, in National convention at Pittsburgh, elected these officers: Supreme president, John A. O'Dwyer, Toledo; vice-president, Frank E. Shaughnessy, Pittsburgh; secretary, H. P. Walsh, Buffalo; treasurer, Maurice Maner, Boston; lecturer, James Lynch, Detroit. Detroit is next year's convention city.

An automobile belonging to Harry E. Sprenkle, of Bair's Station, was struck and demolished by a freight train on the Western Maryland Railroad. Four occupants of the car, Mr. Sprenkle, Harry E. Hain, Charles E. Hain and Jacob Cohn, the latter three from York, jumped and escaped.

A voluntary petition in bankruptcy was filed in Federal Court at Sunbury by William Krug, a Berwick contractor and lumber dealer, whose assets were given as $48,481.72, and liabilities $43,181.55. Judge Charles B. Wilmer appointed William E. Elmer, a Berwick lawyer, as receiver.

Joseph Bogert, fourteen, of Shamokin, was returning on a freight train from Sunbury when he fell under the cars and an arm and his legs were cut off. As a doctor was dressing the injuries the boy told him to let him die as he would be no good for any one hereafter.

Two gas tanks exploded in the boiler-making plant of the John Wood Manufacturing Company, at Conshohocken, did considerable damage and injured Frank Fisher, Hugh Sweeney and an alien, all workmen.

B. V. Wolf, of Harrisburg, a Pennsylvania Railroad fireman, was taken to the Norristown Hospital after both legs had been crushed in an accident on the Trenton cut-off railroad, near Norristown. He died forty-five minutes later.

Frank Scott and William Zane, who robbed the Northern Central Railway passenger station at Hanover last June, were convicted at York and sentenced to the Eastern Penitentiary for not less than four nor more than ten years.

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The Ambition of Mark Truitt

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This story epitomizes, in the life of one big man, his big foes and big friends, the strife, the hopes, and the aspirations of modern America. Involved with his ambition is the ambition of the laborer, of the capitalist, of the progressive, of the humanitarian, of the socialist, of the society woman, and of the woman who gives all for love.

CHAPTER I.

Dreams.

He drifted into the delectable land that lies between sleep and waking, tasting the fleeting savor of his dreams—the epic visions of full-blooded youth. They had passed just beyond memory, leaving a confused yet glowing sense of sharp combats waged, of victories won. A golden haze enveloped him. Through it filtered a dwindling resonance, as of some noble processional sung by a departing far-distant choir.

A wave of delight rippled over him. Then the thought that, not sharing his slumber, had painted his colorful dreams, worked to the surface.

"My last day here!"

He awoke slowly. Before him, seen through the unshuttered window, lay a world somber enough to one tugging against its restraints, lovely when it was to be left behind. He saw the September sun peep over the hills at the head of the valley, rise majestically and swing clear, a golden disk hung in the sky, symbol of the reward of men's struggles; its radiance, streaming into the little room, dispelled shabbiness with a mellow glow he could almost feel. The matin sounds arose, according finely with the lingering echoes of his dream music. He reveled in a new perception.

He was twenty years old.

He was not one to loll. He sprang from bed and stood naked; supple beautiful youth, too slender for great strength but with the unconscious grace of the wild animal.

He dressed and stood by the window in the attitude of a listener. Intently he sought to define the faint other-world resonance that still seemed to vibrate about him. But the theme eluded him.

His illusion was effectually shattered. Into the subdued melody of the Sabbath morning thrust a profane intruder, the jerky wheezing notes of a cabinet organ in the day's hymns, played by some one who aspired beyond endowment.

He frowned, then threw back his head and laughed silently—a trick he had sometimes—at the absurd anticlimax.

"I'm still in Bethel. It's a long way from here to—there." He drew a long deep breath.

A question halted him. "There—where?"

He shook his head vigorously, as though to throw off the query, and went down to the kitchen.

The odor of frying ham saluted his nostrils; he sniffed it hungrily. A man, apparently old, was placing heavy, chipped ironware dishes on the table. He nodded briefly in response to the youth's blithe greeting.

"I'll be ready," he said in a dull flat voice, "time ye're back from the stable," and continued his slow precise setting of the table.

In a few minutes the other returned, the horses fed and his own hands and face scrubbed in cold water from the cistern. They sat down without speaking. The youth ate eagerly, gulpingly.

When the first keenness of appetite was gone, burning to talk of the great hour at hand, he broke the silence. "Well, father, this is my last day in Bethel."

The old man merely nodded, keeping his eyes on his plate.

Boyishly the son began to set forth his plans and hopes and expectations; they were not small. But the old man maintained his silence. The youth conceived him to be an unsympathetic audience.

"Guess you're not interested," he said a trifle sulkily.

"Yes, I'm interested, Mark," the father answered, "but there ain't anything to say." He raised his glance to the window. "Guess I couldn't say anything that'd help much."

The sweep of the youth's anticipation faltered before a quality in the old man's words. Old, "old Simon;" so his neighbors called him. Yet he was not really old, but in the noonday of life wore the gray mantle of age. For he, too, had dreamed his big golden dreams. Below the village stood a dismantled rotting forge, monument to their futility. After his failure he had returned to his shop and trade, shoeing his neighbors' horses, mending their wagons and plows, a dull-eyed, taciturn, spiritless plodder.

Simon Truitt rose and began to clear the table. The son moved toward the door. There he paused, vaguely sensible of a sorrow to which some soothing word was to be said. But the word would not come to lips unschooled in such tender office. He went slowly out into the sunshine.

In the stable he curried the horses, lingering over the pretty brown mare—latest and finest trophy of his horse-trading—until her coat shone satiny. This labor of love ended, he lighted a pipe and sat in the stable doorway.

He sat there until from across the town came a flat unmusical clamor, the cracked church bell calling the faithful—that is to say, all Bethel save one—to worship. He rose reluctantly. Soon he emerged from the little house, shaved to the blood and clad in the discomfort of Sunday clothes.

Always on warm Sabbath mornings Simon Truitt was to be found sitting on the stoop, and always facing the north; the dismantled forge lay to the south. He was that one for whom the cracked bell tolled in vain; he was supposed to be an atheist.

"Goin' to church?" he asked in the expressionless tone that was his habit.

"I guess so," answered Mark. "Unless," with sudden understanding, "you'd like me to stay."

Simon hesitated, then shook his head. "No, ye'd better go same as always. Courtney'd want ye to."

"I owe him a lot."

Simon nodded. "More'n to—anyone else here. Think a good deal o' him, don't ye?"

"Yes. Sometimes he's kind o' queer, though."

Simon nodded again. "D'ye," he asked unexpectedly, "d'ye believe what he preaches?"

"Why, yes!" said Mark. "Yes, I s'pose so," he amended.

The dull glance momentarily sharpened. "Not very much, I expect. Better believe it hard—or not at all. It's most time fur church."

Mark swung heavily down the path. The father's eyes followed him wistfully.

Mark joined the straggling procession that moved, stiffly decorous, toward the house of worship. Once, during the short journey, a spring wagon overtook and passed him; a girl in the rear seat turned and nodded. A wave of red surged into his dark face. Until the wagon drove into the churchyard, his glance clung to the mass of yellow hair under the pink hat. Unconsciously his step quickened.

He found an empty pew near the door, and entering, leaned back, half closing his eyes. He followed the congregation as it rose and sat in hymn and prayer and lesson; but he moved mechanically, without thought of worship. His glance sought the far corner where a shaft of morning sunshine had set a mass of yellow hair ashimmering. The sight and his dreams gave him a new and daring resolve. The hour sped swiftly.

He went quietly from the church; in the yard he took a station by which the farmer folk must pass to their vehicles and there, as he had resolved, boldly, in the eyes of all, he waited for her.

She appeared, a slender girl who, as she moved slowly around the church, wove a spell over the betrousered por-

"To the City? For Good?"

tion of Bethel, even where she had not the subtle aid of dreams. She was not small, but, neatly made, gave an effect of daintiness not characteristic of the maids of that valley. Unity was supposed to be "delicate," hence was spared those arduous tasks that leave so little time to study of beauty hints and fashions. If there were some to suggest that "Squire Martin's family let Unity make fools of 'em," at least no males were among these critics.

Self-conscious to the finger-tips but not betraying it, she picked her dainty way among the gossiping groups, tossing gay little smiles to this and that intoxicated youth, blissfully deaf to an occasional feminine titter in her wake.

She came to a halt beside Mark, looking up with a smile that made him forget curious observers.

"Good morning, Mark!"

"Unity!" His voice was low, tense, as though he announced some tragic happening. "I'm going away tomorrow."

The vivacity fell from her face, leaving it very serious.

"To the city? For good?"

"To the city. For good."

"I am glad."

"Glad!" he stammered. "I thought—I wanted you to be sorry."

"Yes," she nodded emphatically. "I'm glad—for you," she added more softly.

He remained silent, an unreasoning, indefinite disappointment lingering. Something he wanted—he could not say what—was lacking in her words.

"Aren't you glad?"

"Yes, but—" He dismissed the doubt. His eagerness returned. "I'm going driving this afternoon."

She became girlish again. "Is that an invitation?" with a demure little smile.

"If you want to go."

"Of course, Mister Solemn! Aren't you—" She stopped, apparently overcome with confusion for her boldness.

"Say it!" he besought thirstily.

There was a delicious moment of uncertainty, a breathless little laugh.

"My lover. There! I'll be waiting for you, just after dinner." And the butterfly fluttered away.

He went from the churchyard and followed the street past the point where it returned to its native state of dusty, weed-flanked, country pike. He came to a place where the road rose sharply and fell again. Mounting to the crest, he threw himself on the roadside and waited; thither Richard Courtney would come on the after-service walk that was his custom.

Up the rise, village-bound, leisurely creaked an ancient top buggy. In it slouched a middle-aged man upon whose face were written humor and patience, qualities of which he had great need just then. His horse labored heavily at its task, head hanging low; not the bellows in Simon Truitt's smithy puffed louder or harder. At the crest it stopped without urging. Mark frowned impatiently. Then he noted the sad state of the horse and a grin displaced the frown.

"Hear you're going away," "Doc" Hedges remarked. "For the good of the town?"

Mark nodded, the grin widening. "Maybe you'd like to help pay my fare?"

"I have helped," the doctor rejoined dryly. "Going to get rich, ain't you? They all think that."

"It happens sometimes."

"You might, though. Any man ought to get rich that could sell me this—would you call it a horse?"

"Hmm!" Mark considered the animal judicially. "Well, it has four legs."

"So's a billy goat," drawled the doctor. "Goat'd be more use to me, too."

"What did you buy it for, then?"

"I ain't squealing. Pretty slick customer, ain't you?"

The grin returned. "I can sell horses," Mark modestly admitted, "to some people."

"Humph! Only a fool'd buy 'em of you," the doctor agreed. "What'll you take for the brown mare?"

"The brown mare isn't for sale."

"Any horse is for sale," the doctor insisted, "at the right price. Give you a hundred and fifty."

"I wouldn't sell her for two-fifty."

The doctor sighed and clucked to the weary horse.

Out of the dusty cloud trailing behind the creaky buggy emerged a tall stooping figure, clad in the rusty black of the country clergyman. He walked slowly, and when he came to the rise, with a slight effort; evidently he was a frail man physically. At the crest he stopped, breathing hard.

"Taking a good-by look at it?" he asked between breaths.

"No. Just waiting for you."

The preacher smiled faintly; the worn dispirited face lighted up a little. He turned his glance to the valley.

"It's worth a farewell. You'll be homesick for it sometimes—I hope. Shall we walk a bit farther?"

At his lagging pace they tramped along the road, constantly rising and descending but always reaching up toward a higher level. They kept the frank silence of those who have been companions often.

Ten years before Richard Courtney had resigned the city congregation that was steadily withering under his ministry and had come to shepherd the little flock of Bethel. It proved to be a life sentence, but in the end he stayed, if not gladly, at least with such Christian fortitude as a quivering sensitive soul could summon; having found—so he put it—a need to which he could minister. In the early days of his new service he had discovered a neglected, unlettered, moody youngster suffering under the blight of his relation to Simon Truitt, who, for his supposed atheism, was accounted a little less than respectable. Some quality in the boy caught the preacher's fancy. Tactfully he sought to win into Mark's heart, not a very difficult task once the lad learned that ministerial conversation was not confined to graphic pictures of eternal torment. And then, not quite realizing how this new interest eked out the Christian fortitude just mentioned, he set about to make Mark over. From Richard Courtney the blacksmith's son had had his Vergil and Xenophon and Homer, his Euclid and Quackenbos. What may have been best of all, he had had Richard Courtney.

In the intense, imaginative, quick-brained lad Courtney thought he discerned a rare spirit fitted to be a chevalier of the Lord, a fighter of others' battles, a bearer of others' burdens; thus we may read what Richard Courtney would have made his own life. He, the exile, had failed; but in the larger life from which he had been banished he would live again and be felt through a fine strong man of his making. For ten years he had jealously surveyed the prospect, patiently toiled and prayed that it might be.

But now, when the day for which he had prepared was come, he was not

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happy. The question continually recurred. How well had he builded?

With suddenly clarified vision he beheld the youth at his side, raw, unshaped, the reaches of his soul as yet unlighted by purpose, unwarmed by inspiration. After ten years he was almost as Richard Courtney had found him.

"I have scoured the windows. I cannot give the light," thought the preacher sadly.

He became aware that Mark had broken the silence. "I—I owe you a lot," he had said.

"Not very much," Courtney sighed. "I wish it were more—much more."

"Oh, yes, it is much. You've taught me to read and talk and—and think." Courtney repressed an unhappy smile. "You've made me—see big. You've got me ready to go away from here. I—I appreciate it."

"I'd rather you could see true. But must you go?" The plea was without spirit; he knew its uselessness. "There's a life to be lived here, even by a man who sees big. I wish you would stay, at least for a while."

"No, I must go now. I've a reason you don't know."

The preacher felt a jealous pang.

After a while he said. "Did you by any chance hear my sermon this morning?"

Mark looked away, uncomfortable. "Only part of it. I was thinking pretty hard."

"Of yellow braids and a pretty complexion," Courtney said to himself bitterly.

Mark was frowning in an effort to recall and piece together detached phrases that had floated to him during the service and then, finding no welcome, floated away. "It was about," he said hesitatingly, "it was about a man finding his big idea."

"I am flattered." The dry droll inflection was a concealment.

"The big idea," said Mark vaguely, "does it mean—God?"

"It's His way of lifting the world forward. It's—" Courtney stopped abruptly, with a hopeless smile. He looked away across the hills.

Suddenly, with an oddly appealing gesture, he turned again to Mark. All the intense longing of the man who has dreamed and failed and yet clung to some fragment of his hope, painting his vision, breathed in his words.

"Some day you may remember I told you. It's the big purpose that sometimes comes to the big, passionate man, to accomplish some work for its own sake; that grips him, drives him, makes him ruthless to his own desires, forgetful of his failures and blind to everything but his task; that transforms him into a narrow zealot, a fanatic, but a power—always a power, because he is his purpose incarnate. It is that without which the big man is wasted, because he is that dangerous, useless thing, a force uncontrolled. . . . It's what I wanted you to have."

Mark stared. "I—I'm afraid I don't understand."

"And I," Courtney cried, "I can't make you understand! But you will know, when it comes to you." The fire began to die from his eyes and voice. "If it comes," he added.

For a while Mark considered perplexedly this outburst. Then he dismissed it as one of the incomprehensible moments of a man whom, despite oddities, he liked very much. He returned to the thought that had led to the moment.

A little timidly he made the offer. "I'm going to leave the brown mare with you, if you'd like her."

"It's good of you to think of it. But you can sell her well. And you'll need the money."

"I know. But I want you to have her. I traded to get her for you."

Courtney would not spoil his pleasure. "Of course, I—" His acceptance halted. "No, give her to Dr. Hedges."

Mark shook his head. "I want you to have her."

"He needs a good horse. The one he has—"

"It was a fair trade," Mark asserted defensively.

A turn of the road brought them within sight of a great hill that stood across the valley. Over its level top swept breezes filtered pure through many leagues of forest. "Hedges hill" the village called it, finding humorous matter therein.

Courtney pointed. "That is where the doctor wants to build his sanatorium for consumptives."

"I know. He's cracked over that. He'll never do it."

"Perhaps not. It would be too bad. It," Courtney added quietly, "is his big idea."

Mark looked long at the hill, as though from the site of the sanatorium in Spain might be gleaned some hint of the meaning of the "big idea."

After a while he said slowly, "Would you really rather he'd have the mare?"

CHAPTER II.

The Path of Youth.

Had Richard Courtney thought to look back to his own adolescence, he might have understood his failure.

Mark, whose life, the preacher supposed, was to be made over by many books and sermons on purpose, unselfishness and clean living, was in fact seeing a miracle of quite another sort unfold within him.

Companionship, once sought, had suddenly become distasteful. He was happy only when wandering alone in the woods, idle gun on shoulder, or drifting lazily in his canoe.

After a period, during which his body shot up to its full height, wholesome toil and study busied his thoughts and Richard Courtney began to nurture vain hopes, occurred an event of no small importance to many young gentlemen of Bethel. Unity Martin, proud possessor of a diploma declaring to those who cared to peruse that she had mastered certain arts, came home to exhibit in all its perfection the product of education.

He was returning late from an afternoon's hunt in the woods behind the Martin farm, when he unexpectedly came upon her one autumn day. She was standing on a little knob, gazing absently into the fading sky. His ever-ready imagination was touched. In the dusk, the pale glow of the dying day upon her, her pensiveness and apparent frailty gave her a seeming of soulfulness that abashed him, moved him strangely. He thought he beheld one far finer and purer than any of the clayey creatures his life had touched. She saw him and smiled faintly. That smile put him in an agony of confusion and awkwardness. Because he did not know how to depart, he found himself walking home with her, and when she praised the pheasants slung over his shoulder, on a sudden glad impulse he gave to her and she quite naturally accepted the trophy of his hunt. This was a prophecy, but he was no seer.

It was long before he lost that impression of her, the frail spirit-like girl of the dusk, even though riper acquaintance might have taught him that she was indeed a dweller upon the earth. He whispered her name to himself, thinking it finest poetry. His desire to "do something" became a burning impatience to do large and splendid deeds that would prove his mettle. He was, in a word, a boy who thought himself in love.

Came a night, a still winter's night when moonlight gleamed on the snow and the chimes of sleighbells added to the enchantment, when he kissed her, with a sense of sacrilege—and she did not resist.

No wonder, then, Richard Courtney preached purpose in vain! His pupil's horizon was filled with a purpose not his own. Even the preacher's incomprehensible outburst was forgotten, as the boy went to his tryst that Sabbath afternoon.

For a mile he drove carefully and then, letting out the mare, with a flourish of speed drew up before the house of Squire Martin. It was the most pretentious in the valley.

Soon Unity appeared, fresh and dainty in her white dress and pink hat, followed by her sister Susan bearing a heavy pasteboard box. While Mark awkwardly helped his lady into the buggy, Susan slipped the box under the seat. Mark got in and the brown mare, needing no command, started away.

"I put up some lunch," Susan called after them. "Don't forget to eat it!"

"And so," breathed Unity, "you're really going away—at last! How did you happen to decide to go just now?"

"I don't know. It just came to me the other day that I couldn't stay here any longer. Somehow, ever since we began to talk of the city, this place has seemed so small and shut in—until this morning."

"Until this morning?" in some alarm.

"Then it seemed kind o' cozy and—and protected. I hate to leave it. I hate to leave you, Unity."

"And I'll hate to have you go. But, of course, you must. And then, before very long, you'll come back—and take me away with you."

For a while in silence they gave this prospect the consideration it deserved. Then:

"Oh, Unity, how can you love me so?"

She was able to answer him on this point in a way to satisfy him and yet leave him humbly grateful for his vast good fortune.

The shadows were quite long when they espied a great flat rock in a clearing a little way from the road. And there, in a delicious intimacy that they solemnly asserted was but a foretaste, they remembered to eat the lunch put up by the thoughtful Susan. Afterward they spent a rapturous hour watching the sun glide down to meet the hills.

She broke a long silence to say, dreamily, "You're going to be very rich, aren't you?"

He laughed. "Maybe. It isn't always so easy to get rich, you know."

"But everybody says you will."

"Everybody—in Bethel—may not know." Then he added firmly, "But I will—for you. And then—"

He got down from the rock and lifted his arms to her. She stood uncertain, looking down at him. The glow of the sunset was still upon her; in her eyes was another glow, from within, for him.

She measured the distance to the ground—it was almost her own height—then, with a gasp for her daring, she sprang into his arms. He caught her and held her, kissing her again and again, thirstily. She began to respond; her arms tightened around his neck; she clung very close.

She cried tremulously, "Oh, Mark, you won't forget me—out there. I—I couldn't bear—that."

"I will not forget."

A last bright shaft reflected from the crimson west flooded their little clearing, fell upon her. And that was the picture of her he carried "out there"—Unity in the sunset glow, eyes and cheeks aflame with love, desiring him only and not that he would win.

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"Little late, ain't ye?" Simon greeted Mark. But there was no reproof in the words, and no question; he assumed no right to pry into his son's affairs.

"I've been taking a drive," Mark answered.

Simon rose and went into the pantry. He returned, carrying a pitcher of milk and a plate piled high with buttered bread.

"I kept this ready fur ye. Thought ye might be hungry."

Mark was not hungry, but he ate with a show of great relish. Some instinct told him not to decline this little service.

"Guess ye're purty glad to git away from here?"

In the morning Mark would have answered with an unqualified "Yes." Now he said, "I am—and I'm not." He drew a long breath that was almost a sigh. "It's like going in swimming in April."

"Ye're right to go," Simon said. "I wouldn't want ye to stay. There ain't any prospect fur a young man round here."

He rose, and going to the cupboard, fumbled among the dishes. When he returned, he laid before Mark a worn

"If You Ever Get Rich—Come Back Here and Build a Steel Plant."

pocketbook of leather. Mark opened it and glanced at its contents.

He looked up questioningly. "Why, there must be 'most a thousand dollars!"

"Jest that. I've been savin' it fur ye."

Impulsively Mark pushed it back toward Simon. "But I can't take it. It won't leave you anything, and I don't need it. I've got more'n five hundred of my own."

"I'd ruther ye'd take it," Simon insisted heavily. "It'll come in handy. If ye don't need it, ye can find a safe place fur it. An' ye can pay it back, if ye ever git rich. I," he repeated, "I've be'n savin' it fur ye. I knowed ye'd go away some day an' I wanted ye to take somethin'—frum me."

Mark's hand went slowly to the pocketbook. "All right, father." The words fell awkwardly. "I'll pay it back some day. And—thank you."

"Ye're quite welcome," answered Simon with quaint formality.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Fishes That Emit Sounds.

There is a fish in the Tagus that emits sounds resembling the vibrations of a deep-toned bell, gong or pedal pipe of an organ. Herrings, when the net has been drawn around them, have been observed to do the same, and similar accounts are given of the river bullhead. An amphibious siluroid fish on being taken into the hand, is said to shriek, and certain of the blennies emit similar sounds.—Field.

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DAVID W. MILLER, Ferguson Township.

Member of State Committee
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County Chairman
ARTHUR B. LEE

CHURCH APPOINTMENTS

Presbyterian—Spring Mills, morning; Centre Hall, evening.

United Evangelical—Tusseyville, morning; Egg Hill, afternoon; Centre Hall, evening.

Reformed—Centre Hall, morning; Tusseyville, afternoon, Harvest Home services at both places.

The Weather.

Readings of the thermometer are made daily at 5 p. m., and indicate the highest and lowest points reached during the preceding twenty-four hours.

AUGUST—SEPTEMBER	Highest	Lowest	Snowfall in inches	Rainfall in inches	Character of day
Wednesday, 26	76	50			F
Thursday, 27	74	58		.42	C
Friday, 28	86	57		.44	C
Saturday, 29	78	61			C
Sunday, 30	83	63		.04	F
Monday, 31	80	62			PC
Tuesday, 1	83	58			F

F means fair; *C* means cloudy; P *C* means partly cloudy.

LOCALS

Wheat in the local market is quoted at 95 cents, and corn 90 cents.

J. M. Ross and daughter, Miss Ella Ross, of Linden Hall, were visitors in town Monday.

Several business places in town had their show windows repainted by an itinerant artist.

Mrs. Anna Hemphill of Philadelphia is spending a few weeks with her half-sister, Mrs. D. W. Bradford.

Mrs. F. W. Smith and daughter Grace of Altoona were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Weaver, Monday and Tuesday.

Miss Florence Babel of Lancaster is spending a week at the Reformed parsonage as the guest of Rev. and Mrs. R. R. Jones.

Prof. P. H. Meyer played the wedding march at the Fry-Kaup wedding yesterday (Wednesday). The selection was Beethoven's Fantasia.

Mrs. A. E. Kerlin and son William, and Mrs. Sarah Kerlin, Mr. and Mrs. John Moore attended the funeral of Olive S. Shaw at State College, Wednesday.

Miss Helen Luse, a student in the training school for nurses at the Bellefonte hospital, spent Saturday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Milford Luse.

While driving his Ford car through town Wednesday evening, J. Frank McClellan had the misfortune of having the rear axle break, causing the right wheel to leave the car.

W. J. Smith picked three tomatoes from one vine this week which weighed five and three-quarter pounds. The largest of the trio measured twenty inches in circumference and weighed two and one-half pounds. Who can beat it?

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Bradford, Al. Bradford, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bradford on Friday went to Phoenixville where they were entertained until Monday by Mr. and Mrs. William Bradford and Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Auman. They report the former Penns Valley farmers as prospering.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Heckman and daughter, Miss Catharine, autoed from Johnstown Monday and will spend a week with Mrs. Heckman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Kreamer. They were also accompanied by Miss Tace Kreamer of Philadelphia, who had been at the home of her sister, Mrs. Heckman.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS OPENED.

One Hundred and Six Pupils in Attendance First Day—A List of Scholars.

The wheels of education were set in motion Monday morning in the borough with an attendance of one hundred and six pupils. Eight months of work are before scholars and teachers but the school year will not start in earnest until after the Grange Encampment and Fair, during the entire week of which the schools will be closed.

The names of the teachers and the scholars present on the opening day follows:

PRIMARY GRADE

Miss Helen Bartholomew, teacher.

Ralph Emerick	Dorothy Packer
Elizabeth Gross	Vivien Packer
Frank Gross	Helen Runkle
Lottie Keller	Ruth Runkle
Luther Krebs	Franklin Runkle
Robert Krebs	Byers Ripka
Helen Long	Joseph Ruble
Edna Luse	May Smith
George Lutz	Kathryn Wagner
Grace McClenahan	Mary Weaver
Miriam Moore	Mary Weber
Ralph Martz	Florence Zettle
John Meyer	Vienna Zettle
Paul Miller	William Zettle

INTERMEDIATE GRADE

T. L. Moore, teacher

Gertrude Ruble	Isaiah Emery
Sara Zettle	Jefferson Slick
Hazel Ripka	Harold Keller
Madaline Smith	Newton Crawford
Grace Fye	William Sweetwood
Helen Krebs	Fred Lucas
Louella Ruble	Howard Emery
Beatrice Kreamer	Harold Breon
Gladys Packer	Albert Smith
Helen Lucas	Daniel Daup
Grace Miller	Ralph Owens
Anna Garis	Clyde Smith
Marian McClenahan	Harry Gross
Sara Snyder	Paul Fetterolf
Ethel Frank	Franklin Ruble
Miriam Foss	John Lutz
Vivian Foss	Miles Snyder
Florence Krape	Albert Emery

GRAMMAR GRADE

Ross Bushman, teacher

Elizabeth Sweetwood	Lynn Bitner
Miriam Huyett	James Sweetwood
Margaret Emery	Dwight Foss
Gladys Jones	Sumner Packer
Carrie Mitterling	Shannon Boozer
Pearl Ruble	Ernest Frank
Ruth Parson	Ralph Henney
Ruth Bartges	Frederick Moore
Catharine Bradford	Reuben Zettle
Catharine Ruble	Ernest Kuhn
Annabel Smith	Rebecca Kreamer
Beula Foss	Adaline McClenahan
Agnes Bible	Carrie Belle Emerick

HIGH SCHOOL

Prof. H. A. Dodson, principal.

James Keller	Carrie Sweetwood
William Bailey	Esther Parson
*Ralph Luse	Ethel Rowe
Carl Auman	*Marion Royer
*Perry McKinney	Ida Sweetwood
*Robert Neff	Lillian Emery
*Mary Dinges	Mary Whiteman
*Grace Ishler	*Mae Royer

*Potter Township pupils

Fry-Kaup.

At the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Ksup, at Boalsburg, at high noon yesterday (Wednesday), their second daughter, Miss Esther Kaup, became the wife of James Fry of Clearfield. About seventy-five invited guests witnessed the pretty nuptials which was performed by Rev. J. I. Stonecypher of the Lutheran church, employing the ring ceremony.

Details of the wedding will be published next week.

The Weather for August.

The average maximum temperature for August was close to the ninety-degree mark. The rainfall for the month was light, only one inch and a half falling during the thirty-one days The heaviest precipitation occurred last week—Thursday and Friday—at which time the rain gauge registered a fall of eighty-six hundredths of an inch The ground had been so dry as a result of the protracted drought that plowing was very little benefitted.

Four Silos To Go Up.

The value of the silo to the farmer, from an economic standpoint, is becoming more fully realized. In a little community east of Centre Hall four large silos are to be constructed, according to the Centre Oak correspondent. The farmers taking this step are, J. K. Bitner, W. D. Bartges, H. B. Frankenberger, and Israel Spayd.

Potters Mills

Mrs. Hugh Taylor and four children of Bellefonte spent the past week at the Potters Mills hotel.

Mrs. G. H. McCormick and two little boys are visiting in Aaronsburg.

D. K. Geiss of Philadelphia spent Friday at the home of Samuel Slack.

Jesse McClenathan and mother and Mrs. Michael Smith attended the picnic at Boalsburg on Thursday.

Clyde Coldron of Huntingdon is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William Blauser.

F. A. Carson, W. E Montgomery, Joseph Carson and Frank Palmer, spent Sunday evening in Bellefonte.

Miss Cora McClenathan and friend of Pittsburgh are visiting with Mrs. Anna McClenathan.

Two automobile loads from this place spent Friday in Lock Haven.

If you can say "I am for Pennsylvania," call at the Reporter office for a button with that inscription on it Well, of course, we are all for Pennsylvania, especially the boys for whom the buttons are intended.

BOALSBURG ITEMS.

What People Are Doing in Harris Township's Principal Burg, as Reported by the Reporter's Faithful Correspondent.

The picnic on Thursday was a most delightful one. The day was all that could be desired, and the grove where it was held is one of the most inviting places in this locality. On the tables was found everything that was good to eat. The band furnished ice cream and other luxuries. After dinner R. B. Harrison gave an address of welcome and Clement Dale of Bellefonte responded. Other speakers were D. F. Fortney of Bellefonte and Rev. C. T. Aikens o Susquehanna University. E. W. Sweeney read letters from Judge B. F. Keller, Charleston, Virginia, and Rev. G. W. Lesher of Cleveland, Ohio, who were formerly from Boalsburg. Then followed music by the band and a male quartette, closing the program by all uniting in singing "America."

After this a game of baseball was played in an adjoining field. Those who did not feel interested in the ball game remained in the grove and had a social time.

Among the number who enjoyed the day with us were some of our old companions of bygone days, from different parts of the state, who were all heartily welcomed by the committee in charge and by the people of Boalsburg and vicinity in general.

The occasion was one long to be remembered.

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Mrs. Mary Taylor of Milroy was here for the picnic.

Miss Helen Coxey has gone to Williamsport to a business college.

Services will be held in the Reformed church Sunday at 10:15.

Miss Esther Brown is home from Harrisburg for a vacation.

Miss Alida Rothrock was home from Bloomsburg for a two weeks vacation.

Miss Ruth Rupp from the Altoona hospital is home for a three weeks vacation.

Mrs. William Kuhn and daughter Miss Ruth, are visitors from Williamsport.

B. F. Hafley of Aaronsburg spent a few days at the home of his daughter, Mrs. N. W. Meyer.

The ladies civic club will meet at the home of Mrs. E. E. Brown Friday evening, September 4th.

Fred Ishler departed on Wednesday for Altoona where he will be a student of the High School.

Mrs. Ella Jackson with her two boys were visitors from Huntingdon.

Robert Wieland and Miss Ethel Gingerich are attending the High School at State College.

Edward R. Weber and sister, Miss Alice, of Huntingdon enjoyed a ten days visit with Centre county friends.

Mrs. Margaret Riley enjoyed an auto ride to Mifflinburg with some of the Weber family at State College.

Mrs. Charles Dunham with her sons John and Robert, of Staten Island, N. Y., spent a day with relatives at Boalsburg.

Mrs. R B. Harrison and daughter, Miss Rhoda, and Miss Leona Wieland enjoyed a trip to Philadelphia and Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Meyer and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Brooks spent Sunday with relatives in Ferguson township.

Misses Rhoda Harrison and Leona Wieland will have their millinery opening Wednesday and Thursday, September, 9th and 10th.

Mr. and Mrs. James Poorman attended the funeral of the latter's sister, Mrs. Mary Wilson, at Linden Hall on Saturday.

Our new postmaster, Jacob Meyer, took charge of the postoffice on the 1st. Miss Gussie Murray will be his assistant for some time.

James Fry of Philadelphia and Miss Esther Kaup of Boalsburg were united in marriage by Rev. J. I. Stonecypher at the home of the bride, at noon September 2nd. Congratulations are extended.

Mrs. Annis Kremer and son Condo, Mr. and Mrs J. P. Wagner and their friend Mr. Lauver, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. McIntire and Mrs. W. E Gettig and son William Henry were visitors from Altoona last week.

Will Be at Encampment & Fair.

We will be fully prepared to look after your comfort during the Grange Encampment and Fair at Centre Hall, in the event of cool weather or rain, with a full line of raincoats, sweaters, rubbers, umbrellas, parasols, children's coats, etc You will find us at Hartline's stand. Look for the sign.

HERR'S DEPARTMENT STORE,
Millheim.

Colyer.

Hurrah! it is soon picnic time.

The farmers are about ready to do their seeding.

Arthur Holderman was through here with his thrashing machine.

Miss Mary Neff, opened her school on Monday morning at this place.

Mrs. G R Meiss last week returned home from Altoona where she spent a few days with her daughter, Mrs. George Yarnell.

Letters not called for in Centre Hall postoffice September 1: Samuel Baturin, T. B. Wardner.—G. M. Boal, postmaster.

REBERSBURG

Mrs. Levi Wance of Bellefonte is at present visiting under the parental roof at this place.

Mr. Wagner and family of Harrisburg are sojourning at the home of William Bair.

Our public schools opened last Tuesday with Prof. C. L. Gramley as principal.

Some of our farmers are sowing wheat this week while others have acres to plow yet.

Mr. and Mrs. David Meyer of Centre Hall spent a few days last week visiting relatives at this place.

Mrs. Benjamin Smith of Philadelphia is visiting relatives and old acquaintances in town.

Forest Ocker of Mifflinburg will in the near future move to this place and occupy part of Charles Bierly's house.

Mrs. George Miller is taking care of Mrs. Thomas Garret who received two paralytic strokes the past week.

Prof. Strack, who was principal of our schools last year, was an over-Sunday visitor in our town and spent most of his time with his best girl.

That Smuliton melon of which the correspondent made mention of several weeks ago has not been divided yet. We hope Rebersburg will get a small slice too.

One day last week the stork visited the home of Prof. Auman and left a wee little baby boy to his daughter, Miriam, who is married to Harry Confer of Millheim.

The Sunday-school picnic which was to have been held in a woods south-east of this place last Saturday, was, on account of the rain, postponed until a later date.

The condition of Charles Bierly, of whose illness mention was made in last week's paper, is not very promising. He is growing weaker every day.

We are sorry to learn that our medicine man, Dr. H. G. Krape, is closing out his stock of medicine. The Dr. will hereafter give all his time to selling as well as tuning musical instruments at which he is an expert He also offers two autos at a bargain.

Centre Mills.

William Gann and family spent a week's vacation at Centre Mills.

William Laird spent several days with his mother, Mrs. Emerick. He was kicked by a horse and had several ribs cracked.

Mr. and Mrs. Weaver and son, and Mrs. Weaver's sisters were visitors at the home of Adam Reish.

Miss Minnie Kline is at Philadelphia attending campmeeting.

Prof. and Mrs. Godshall started for Syracuse, N. Y., where Mr. Godshall expects to teach.

Miss Edna Bailey of Syracuse, N. Y., came to the home of her grandparents to spend several weeks, then she will return to Syracuse to attend school. She had been at Philadelphia attending campmeeting for two weeks.

COURT PROCLAMATION.

Whereas the Honorable Ellis L. Orvis, President Judge of the Court of Common Pleas of the Forty-ninth Judicial District, consisting of the county of Centre, having issued his precept bearing date the 6th day of August, 1914, to me directed for holding a Court of Common Pleas, Orphans Court, Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery, in Bellefonte, for the county of Centre, and to commence on the

FOURTH MONDAY OF SEPTEMBER,

being the 28th day of September, 1914, and to continue two weeks.

Notice is hereby given to the Coroner, Justices of the Peace, Aldermen, and Constables of said county of Centre, that they be then and there in their proper persons at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of the 28th, with their records, inquisitions, examinations, and their own remembrances, to do those things which to their office appertains to be done and those who are bound in recognizances, to prosecute against the prisoners that are or shall be in jail of Centre county, be then and there to prosecute against them as shall be just.

Given under my hand at Bellefonte, the 24th day of August, in the year of our Lord, 1914, and the one hundred and thirty-eighth year of the Independence of the United States of America.

ARTHUR B. LEE, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office,
Bellefonte, Aug. 24, 1914.

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Everything in the Plumbing Line—bathroom fixtures, etc., at lowest prices.
S. J. ROWE
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Single Comb White Leghorns exclusively.
The stock that has quality by actual test.
Eggs now for sale.
Will Sell at Once, 20 Incubators & Brooders, at a Great Sacrifice.
Chas. D. Bartholomew
CENTRE HALL, PA.

... AN ANNOUNCEMENT TO THE PUBLIC ...

Our Fall and Winter Clothing is ready for your inspection.

OUR LINE comprises the very latest in wearing apparel for Men, Boys, Women, Misses and Children. We have selected, with great care, the largest line of stylish clothing that has ever been put on disylay in Millheim. We want you to come in look around; we know that you will be more than pleased with what we are offering for this Fall and Winter. Prices, too, are as low as they have ever been; in fact, we are selling the same grade of clothing in many instances at a much lower figure.

Our Fall and Winter Footwear is here, too

The famous Walk Over Shoes for Men and the Queen Quality and C & E Shoes for Women, are to be found here. The best line of st ong work shoes are at Herr's.

Raincoats—
You'll want one for these cool evenings

We have a large assortment in all styles and colors, for Men, Women and Children.

Clothing for School Children--in great variety

HERR'S DEPARTMENT STORE
MILLHEIM, PA.

You Can Save Money on White Canvas Shoes By Buying NOW

We have cut prices on our line of Ladies' and Misses' White Canvas Shoes. We do not intend to carry them over until next season. Our line is still complete, but better hurry up for they'll not last long at the prices we have put on them. Lots of warm weather yet, so white shoes will be worn for some time.

Come in today.

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"FITZ-EZY" SHOES
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FRIENDS OF PENNSYLVANIA.

Buttons and Pledge Cards may be had at the Reporter Office.

Last week a statement was made in these columns that a movement was put on foot by Mr. McCormick, Democratic candidate for governor, to organize the boys in the state, pledging them for better government in Pennsylvania. "True Blue" buttons, and a supply of pledge cards and leaflets describing the new league for good government kown as the "Friends of Pennsylvania," have been sent to this office where boys may secure them. The pledge card contains the following:

CERTIFICATE
OF MEMBERSHIP
in the
FRIENDS OF PENNSYLVANIA

Enrolled Member

Sign this card and keep it where you will often see it. Additional cards and badges may be obtained from

DEMOCRATIC STATE COMM.
Harrisburg, Pa.

PURPOSE.

"To maintain Pennsylvania's good name and to be an earnest enemy of every man, political organization, institution or custom that would mar Pennsylvania's political purity or moral integrity."

PLEDGE.

"I believe in Pennsylvania, my State. I glory in the ideals upon which she was founded, in the noble part she has borne in the country's history, and in the character of her people today.

"As a solemn obligation of loyalty, I pledge myself to defend the good name of my State and to endeaver myself to be such a free, fearless and patriotic citizen as will reflect honor upon her name.

"For the sake of Pennsylvania I promise to use my sincerest and most intelligent efforts to learn the facts concerning political conditions and candidates for public office; and to oppose with all my might any party or man that is unworthy of the best traditions and ideals of Pennsylvania.

"To this end, I solemnly covenant to put my patriotism above partisanship and above all personal considerations that I may be a true citizen of the Keystone state; and I shall seek to enlist others in this same pledge allegiance."

The Lecture Course.

The Centre Hall lecture course committee held a meeting Tuesday evening, and among other things decided to advance the price of single admissions to all numbers, and this schedule of prices was adopted: Admission to musicals, thirty-five cents; five cents additional for reserved seats; admission to lectures, twenty-five cents; five cents additional for reserved seats. Course tickets remain the same, $1 00 for the five numbers.

The musicals this year are of such a high grade and entered so largely in the cost of the course, that the committee felt justified that these two numbers should bear a larger proportion of the expense than heretofore.

There are a number of good seats to be had for those who wish to secure course tickets, the price of which remains the same as heretofore—$1.00

LOCALS

Prof. W. A. Krise spent Wednesday with his daughter, Mrs. B. F. Reish, at Milroy.

Hon. Leonard Rhone is attending the Williams Grove picnic for a few days this week.

Tibben M. Zubler was appointed postmaster at Spring Mills to succeed Charles A. Krape.

Miss Ruth Ruble was the guest of her friend, Miss Ruth Lambert, at State College, over Sunday.

Dr. H. W. Schuyler will conduct the Harvest Home exercises in the auditorium on Grange Park on Sunday afternoon, September 13th.

Clarence E. Rishel and Miss Helen R. Hosterman, both of Penn township were married on Thursday evening, at the United Evangelical parsonage, by Rev. Wm. H. Brown.

Saturday morning Rev. and Mrs. R. R. Jones received the happy announcement that the stork had paid a visit a short time before to the home of their son, Prof. W. R. Jones, at Spring Mills, and left in the care of Prof. and Mrs. Jones a sweet baby girl. Grandmother Jones left on the first train east to take care of the new arrival, which has been named Eileen Christina Jones.

Spring Mills.

C. G. King is busy making cider.

Eben Finkle is home from Johnstown for a few weeks' visit.

Mrs. Musser is visiting Mrs. A. J. Shook.

Mrs. Maurice Miller of Bellefonte is spending a few days with her niece, Mrs. Austin Long.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Johnson, a son, on August 31st.

Born, a daughter, on August 29th, to Prof. and Mrs. W. R. Jones.

Mrs. Jacob Lee and two children are spending a few days at Northumberland.

Mrs. Samuel Brown is visiting her sister, Mrs. William Finkle, at Corning, New York.

Miss Ruth Zimmerman, daughter of Rev. Zimmerman of Milton, after a two weeks' visit with Miriam Long, went to Rebersburg on Monday, accompanied by Miss Long. They will spend a few days with Mrs. Ethel Hubler.

DEATHS.

Mrs. Catharine C. Shook, widow of the late J. C. Shook, died at her home in Spring Mills Mondsy afternoon at about one o'clock, following a week's illness with Bright's disease. Funeral services will be held this (Thursday) morning in the Penns Creek Lutheran church at Penn Hall, and will be conducted by Rev. D. M. Geesey, of Aaronsburg and Rev. Sheeder of Clarion, the latter a former pastor. Interment will take place in Heckman's cemetery at Penn Hall.

Mrs. Shook was the youngest of the children to the first wife of Daniel Luse, deceased, and the only surviving member of that union is Daniel F. Luse of Centre Hall. She is also survived by three half-brothers, namely, Malcolm A. Luse, Norfolk, Virginia; P. H. Luse, Centre Hall; and L. M. Luse, Coburn.

In her marriage to J. C. Shook no children were born, but they took in their home and raised as their own, three children. Mr. Shook died ten years ago and since that time Mrs. Shook had charge of the small dairy business which they had conducted for some time. At the time of her death she was sixty years, three months and twenty-five days old.

"Aunt Kate", as she was lovingly known by everybody in Spring Mills lived a beautiful Christian life and her benevolent deeds and acts of charity will keep for her a place in the hearts of those who knew her.

Boalsburg and community was profoundly shocked Tuesday evening when it learned that one of its most industrious and upright young men—Daniel Mothersbaugh—had died at eight o'clock, following a short illness of two week's duration with rheumatic fever. He together with his brother, Charles Mothersbaugh, were engaged in farming the Mothersbaugh homestead, and a short time ago was thrown from a horse, and while not seriously injured, it is presumed that the accident was the underlying cause of the illness which terminated in his death.

Mr. Mothersbaugh was the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Mothersbaugh and was about twenty-nine years of age. He was married less than a year ago to Miss Mary Koch, who survives him together with his parents and the following brothers and sister, namely, Charles, on the homestead; William and George, near Boalsburg; Keller, of Williamsport; and Mrs. Reuben Stuart, of Pittsburgh.

The time for funeral services had not been set up to the time of going to press. They will, however, be held in the Reformed church and interment will be made at Boalsburg, Rev. S. C. Stover officiating.

Andrew Jackson Stover, for many years a resident of Haines township, died at the home of his son, Warren F. Stover, near Spring Mills, on Sunday morning. His age was sixty-eight years, seven months and four days. He had been a sufferer from tuberculosis for a year or more. Mr. Stover was twice married. The first wife was Annie Stover, and the second her sister, Eve Stover. Five children survive: Ammon A., Aaronsburg; Warren F., Spring Mills; William F., Wolfs Store; Mrs. Katie Hess, Scottland, S. D.; and Martin, Coburn, the latter a son of the second wife. Mrs. Julia Kreamer, Aaronsburg, is a surviving sister, and George M., and Benjamin, Aaronsburg; Jacob, James and Jefferson, Berrien Springs, Michigan, are brothers.

Interment was made at Wolfs Chapel, Wednesday, Rev. Donat officiating.

Oliver S. Shaw died at his home in State College Saturday afternoon from intestinal indigestion and complications, aged fifty-nine years. Funeral services were held at the Lutheran church at State College Wednesday morning and interment took place at Pine Grove Mills. Services at the grave were in charge of the I. O. O. F. and M. W. of A.

Mr. Shaw was a deacon in the Lutheran church at State College and an upright and industrious citizen. Besides being identified with the societies mentioned above he was also a member of the Rebekahs, Modern Woodmen and Royal Neighbors. He is survived by a wife but no children.

Mrs. Mary Jane Wilson died at her home in Linden Hall Wednesday of last week, following an illness which had its beginning two years ago when she suffered a paralytic stroke. Since that time she had been partially helpless. Funeral services were conducted in the United Evangelical church, of which she was a member, Saturday morning, by Rev. F. H. Fos, and interment was made at Linden Hall. She was aged sixty-nine years and six months. One son, Leonard Wilson, survives.

Marriage Licenses.

Forest R. Heverly, Tyrone
Bertha A. Woodring, Tyrone

Clarence C. Rishel, Penn Twp
Helen R. Hosterman, Penn Twp

Ralph Stover, State College
Minnie Johnson, Stormstown

M. L. Beck, Howard
Jennie Tate, Jersey Shore

Joseph Black, South Bethlehem
Helen A. Tatsock, Bellefonte

James S Fry, Philadelphia
Esther D. Kaup, Boalsburg

Personality of Candidates.

Vance C. McCormick, Democratic candidate for governor, and Farmer Creasy, candidate for lieutenant governor, are getting handsome receptions wherever they go and, for that matter, so are all the Democratic candidates. Mr. McCormick is being discovered as a personality well worth knowing by the sections of the state that did not know him. He improves upon acquaintance.

There is a good deal in the personality of a candidate for high office. People very often make up their minds about a man as he personally impresses them. So far no man who has come in contact with Mr. McCormick during the present campaign has had anything to say but that he was charmed and delighted by the frank open-handed man who has been nominated by the Pennsylvania Democracy for governor.

There is a greater disposition to know candidates for office now than there once was. People want to meet them, want to shake hands with them, want to converse with them, want to measure them at arm's length. They would rather come in contact with the candidates in this way briefly than to listen to them on the stump an hour. The old-fashioned homely virtues of manhood are more likely to come out when men are together at short range. Under those circumstances candidates are more likely to reveal the real stuff that is in them. The public has a right to know about things of this kind and to be able to form its own conclusions.

Aaronsburg.

Miss Sarah Lenker visited her grandmother, Mrs. L. L. Lenker.

Blain Bitner of Spring Mills was a very welcome caller on Sunday at the home of his aunt, Alice Bright.

Mrs. R. Emma Hess is at present under the care of Dr. C. S. Musser, suffering with lumbago.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Corman of Winbur are being entertained by Mr. and Mrs. George Stover.

Mrs. George McMormick and sons, William and Robert, are spending some time with Mrs. McCormick's parents.

Helen Bower, Marion Eisenhaur, Mae Gulsewite, Marion Adams, Meda, Martha and Rhoda Bower, and Albert Mingle are students in the Millheim High School.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Vonada, his father and son-in-law, J. H. and Harry Crouse, and Miss Alice Bright, were to Lock Haven on Wednesday in Boyd's car to see the airship—stay on the ground. They spent the day, however, among relatives in the Clinton county city.

Those who autoed to Lock Haven last week to witness the aeroplane flight were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Stover, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Mingle, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Stover and family, Z D. Thomas and niece, Miss Rebecca Snyder, and Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Bower. All were disappointed in the failure of the airman to make good.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—

By virtue of a writ of Fieri Facias issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Centre County, Pennsylvania, and to me directed, there will be exposed to public sale at the Court House, in Bellefonte borough, Pa., on

MONDAY, 28TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1914, at one o'clock P. M.

All that certain lot or parcel of ground situate in the town of Aaronsburg, Haines township, Centre county, Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at a stone in the public road, thence along said road by the town plot of Aaronsburg, North seventy feet to a stone, to land of Allen Hosterman; thence along said Hosterman land East two hundred and twenty-six feet to a stone; thence by land of Ralph Stover seventy feet to a stone; thence by land of Howard Acker west two hundred and twenty-six feet to the place of beginning.

See deed from Harry E Acker to Annie Acker, dated December 8th, 1913, recorded in Deed Book 116, page 150. And being the same premises which William Acker and Alice, his wife, conveyed unto Harry E. Acker, by their deed dated February 2nd, 1903.

Thereon erected a two story dwelling house, stable and other outbuildings.

Seized, levied upon, taken into execution and to be sold as the property of Harry E. Acker

TERMS OF SALE—No deed will be acknowledged until purchase money is paid in full.

ARTHUR B. LEE, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Bellefonte, Pa.
August 30, 1914. 4t

IN THE ORPHANS' COURT OF CENTRE COUNTY.
ESTATE OF ISABELLA H. ROLLER, DECEASED.

To the heirs of said decedent, and all others interested:

You are hereby notified that the Orphans' Court of said County awarded an inquest to make partition and valuation of certain real estate of the said decedent, consisting of a certain messuage, tenement and lot of land, containing about two acres and seventy five perches, situate in Benner Township, in said County, and that said inquest will be held on said premises, on Tuesday, the 22nd day of September A. D. 1914, at 11 o'clock A. M. at which time and place you are requested to attend if you think proper.

ARTHUR B. LEE,
Sheriff's Office, Bellefonte, Pa., Sheriff.
August, 1914. 32.o.3t.

EXECUTORS' NOTICE—

Letters testamentary on the estate of Sarah Ann Horner, late of Potter township, deceased.

Letters testamentary on the above estate having been duly granted to the undersigned, he would respectfully request any persons knowing themselves indebted to the estate to make immediate payment and those having claims against the same to present them duly authenticated for settlement.

E CLAYTON WAGNER,
Executor.

LEGAL NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the following accounts will be presented to Court for confirmation Septembr 30th, 1914, and unless exceptions be filed thereto on or before September 29th, the same will be confirmed, to wit:

The third account of John Slack, guardian of Jonathan W. Bradley, helpless child.

The account of the Commonwealth Trust Company, trustee under mortgage of Nittany Iron Company.

D. R. FOREMAN,
Aug. 26, 1914. Prothonotary.

ADVERTISEMENTS

NOTICE—I hereby give notice that I will hereafter endorse no notes for any one, and request that no one ask me to do so.—Andrew Corman, Spring Mills. 32.o.3t p'd

INDIA RUNNER DUCKS FOR SALE—Thirty-five India Runner Ducks at one dollar each; well bred and in fine condition—H. W. Dinges, Centre Hall, Pa. 32.o.3t

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED SALESMAN, for established tea route, covering State College, Lemont, Centre Hall, and surrounding country. Permanent position for the right party; real estate bond and reference required; applicant must state age, last employment, married or single, and all particulars. Address at once box 62, Danville, Pa. 33.o.3t,

TWO HORSES, COLT AND RAM FOR SALE. Black mare, 12 years old, will weigh 1600 lbs; in good flesh; has a colt by her side bred from the Bellefonte Percheron horse. Three year old driving mare, bay in color. Also thoroughbred Hamshire Ram, two years old, first-class. Bell 'phone. J. C. GOODHART, Centre Hall, Pa. 32.o.3t paid.

FOR SALE—A very desirable 6-room residence located in Spring Mills, in perfect order, having been recently renovated throughout. Has front and back porch. Also, a cistern at kitchen door, cement walks, a fine garden, large barn, chicken house etc. For terms apply to H. I. BRIAN & CO., Spring Mills, Pa. 31.o.3t

School Clothing

—FOR—

Boys and Girls

SWEATERS
CAPS
SHIRTS
SHOES
HOSE
Etc., etc.

Come to see us

H. F. Rossman
SPRING MILLS, PA.

To make room for a big line of

Fall and Winter Goods

such as: DRY GOODS, SHOES, RUBBERS, Etc.,
I am making a

30-Day Clean Sweep Sale

Big reductions in Summer Dry Goods, Lawns, Flaxons, Silks, Crepes, Etc., also on all White Shoes, Men's and Ladies' Low Shoes, in Black and Tan; odd lots of Ladies' and Men's Dress Shoes

at HALF PRICE

to close them out. Don't miss this sale.

Parties Camping on Grange Park,
will find this store well stocked with the best line of GROCERIES, SHOES, RUBBERS, Etc., during Picnic Week. Don't fail to give us a call.

C. F. EMERY

The Beatrice Cream Separator

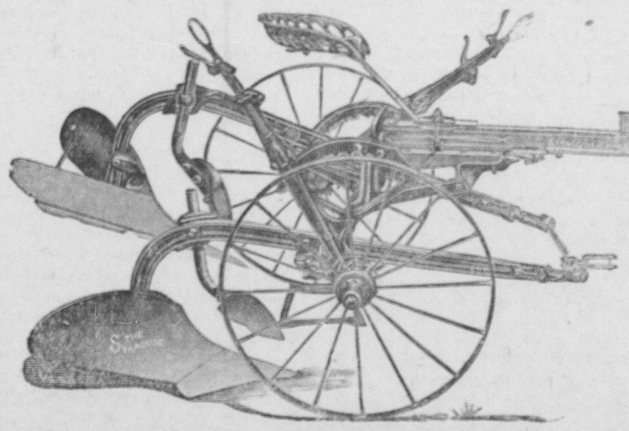
SAVES YOU from $25 to $40

and has all the good features found in the higher priced machines. These are the qualities that make it valuable.

Clean Skimming
Easy Running
Light Running
Long Life
Few Repairs

(Shows Simple Method of Cleaning Discs.)

The BEATRICE is the typical modern separator supplied with a centrifugal washing device to clean the bowl in two minutes. (See illustration above). A separator, no matter what kind, requires washing twice a day. The BEATRICE, with its patent device makes washing the easiest thing immaginable and means much time saved on the farm in this one kind of daily work. Come in and see the beauty of construction in this machine; how silently it runs and why it gets every drop of cream out of your milk.

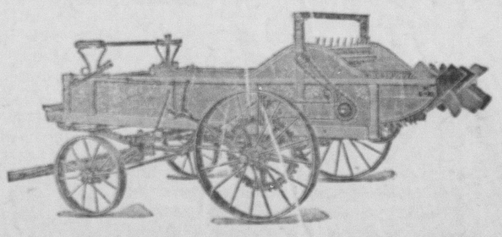


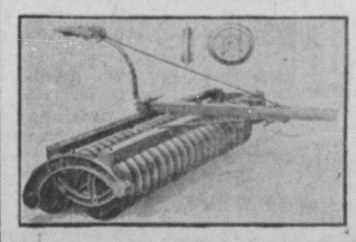
Here is the Syracuse Riding Plow

Needs no description. Its great use among the farmers in Penns Valley speaks for its popularity. More farmers are using it every year. Get in line for one this year and prepare for better crops by doing better plowing. The Syracuse brings results.

The New Idea Manure Spreader

We received a short time ago a carload of these famous spreaders. The New Idea is more than a spreader, it is a pulverizer, putting the manure in best shape for distributing on the ground. It is simple and easy running, strongly built, and should have a place on every farm.





Burch's Clod Crusher

An elegant tool for crushing hard, lumpy earth and leaving the soil in narrow ridges, but fine and mellow. This implement acts upon the seed bed not unlike the spayd on earth that is being packed by the railroad builder under the tie. It is an ideal implement.

Woven Wire Fencing--Carload of all kinds

We have the wide and narrow woven wire fence, all of the best makes, also plenty of barbed and smooth wire.

Must Suit You

Satisfaction Guaranteed—no catches nor technicalities in our guarantee. Your engine must satisfy *you* or you don't keep it. "Your good will means our success." That's the principal that built our business.

LAUSON FROST KING
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have the new Lauson Gear-Driven Magneto, which eliminates all batteries. Built into the engine—won't wear out. Throws a big, hot spark that never weakens. *Starts Easily.*—The Frost King starts on the magneto without turning over. Requires no cranking. Positively frost proof. Low fuel consumption—high efficiency. Case-hardened and ground wearing parts practically eliminates wear and breakage. We're back of this engine with our own reputation; we wouldn't handle it if there were anything questionable about it. If we can trust it—you can trust us. Drop in and see how easily it starts and how smoothly it runs. Catalog Free.

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All Types

No batteries to give you trouble

J. H. WEBER,
CENTRE HALL, PA.

BOMBS FROM AIR STIR BELGIANS

Violent Protest Against Zeppelin Attack at Antwerp.

SIXTY HOUSES DESTROYED

Belgian Authorities Preparing To Protest Officially To All the Powers Against Germany's Manner Of Warfare.

London.—The bomb-dropping exploit of the Zeppelin airship at Antwerp promises to become a matter of the widest international consideration. The Belgian authorities claim that the attack was a clear violation of article 26 of the fourth Hague convention, and they are preparing to protest officially to all the powers against this manner of warfare.

Accounts vary as to the amount of damage done by the aerial fighter. One account says that 26 lives were lost, although from more conservative sources it is reported that only 12 bodies have been recovered so far from the ruins of the wrecked houses.

A dispatch which is regarded as semi-official states that 900 houses were slightly damaged and 60 houses nearly destroyed. This dispatch was sent to London, it is said, after a committee, which included the Belgian Secretary of State, the Russian Ambassador, the Papal Nuncio and King Albert's secretary, had examined the entire city, with a view to appraising the results of the aerial bombardment. This dispatch, published by the Chronicle, says:

"For the first time in history, a great civilized community has been bombarded from the sky in the dead of night. Count Zeppelin, whom the German Emperor calls the greatest genius of the century, has performed the greatest exploit of his life. He has thrown bombs on hospitals where Belgians were attending German wounded. He has staggered humanity. On August 5 the German commander warned General Leman, at Liege, that if the forts did not surrender the Zeppelin fleet would move against Belgium.

"The Belgians have been as good as their word. We have explored every one of 10 devastated streets and have found portions of 10 bombs. The number of victims is unknown. It is significant that all the bombs were aimed at public buildings, such as the military barracks, the government offices and the royal palace. The population is in gloom."

11 LIVES LOST IN COLLISION.

The Admiral Sampson Rammed By Princess Victoria.

Seattle, Wash.—Eleven lives were lost when the steel passenger steamship Admiral Sampson, of the Pacific Alaska Navigation Company, was rammed and sunk by the Canadian Pacific passenger steamship Princess Victoria off Point-No-Point, twenty miles north of Seattle during a fog and thick smoke from forest fires. The Princess Victoria brought the survivors to Seattle. The Admiral Sampson sank in four minutes. The Admiral Watson, bound for San Francisco, was near the scene of the accident at the time. Eight of the lost were members of the crew and three were passengers.

STARVING IN NEW YORK.

Five Cases In Hospitals Due To the High Prices.

New York.—Just how hard inflation of food prices had hit the East Side was revealed Thursday in a search of hospital records. Five cases of starvation have been treated at Bellevue within the last few days. All were from the tenement districts and all said the "war prices" kept them from obtaining proper nourishment. For the first time in a score of years bread lines are forming here in summer. Many grocers on the East Side have been compelled to suspend credit. Scores of families have been evicted. It is from these that the mission food lines are drawn.

JAIL FOR TRUST VIOLATORS.

Senate Incorporates Provision In Pending Clayton Bill.

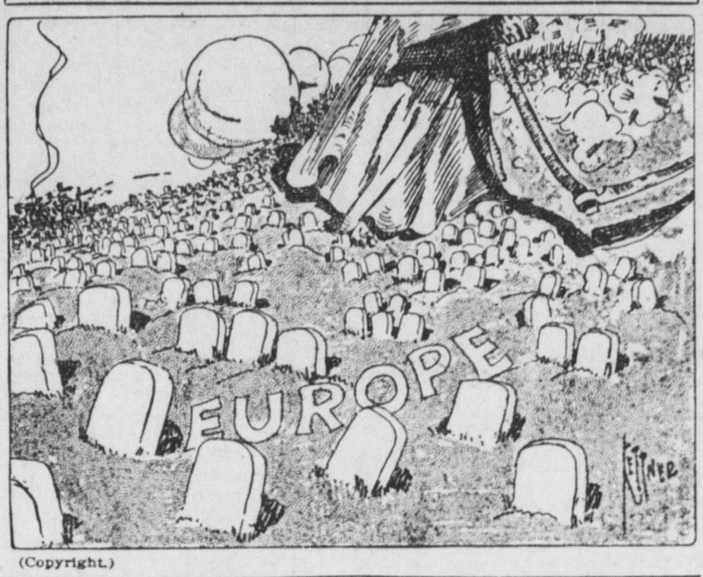
Washington, D. C.—Advocates of jail sentences for trust law breakers won a victory in the Senate, and by a vote of 29 to 21 incorporated in the pending Clayton bill a provision to make violations of the "tying" contract section punishable by imprisonment.

FROM 'FRISCO VIA CANAL.

Pleiades Ends First All-Water Trip To New York.

New York.—The first all-water voyage from San Francisco to New York by way of the Panama Canal was completed here Thursday upon the arrival of the Pleiades, of the Luckenbach Steamship Company. The Pleiades, which flies an American flag, sailed from San Francisco on July 24 and passed through the canal August 16.

THE HARVEST



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M'ADOO SOLVES CROP PROBLEM

Will Accept Cotton and Tobacco Warehouse Receipts.

URGES ALL TO CO-OPERATE

Decision Of the Secretary Of the Treasury Is the Direct Result Of the Cotton and Tobacco Conference.

Washington, D. C.—Secretary McAdoo, of the Treasury Department, has decided to accept from national banks, through their respective national currency associations, notes, secured by warehouse receipts, for cotton and tobacco, and having not more than four months to run, at 75 per cent. of their face value.

This is the direct result of the cotton and tobacco conference, suggested by Senator John Walter Smith, and which was attended by delegates from the Southern States. The purpose of the conference was to find a way to prevent the sacrifice of the Southern cotton crop on account of the war in Europe, and to similarly protect tobacco. According to the plan announced by Secretary McAdoo, it will be possible to store large quantities of cotton and tobacco which will be withheld from the market during the war, or until good prices can be obtained for these products. To do this the growers of tobacco and cotton must have funds to carry the cotton and tobacco until it can be sold, and these funds will be obtained from bankers on the basis of warehouse receipts which are to be accepted by the banks as eligible securities for emergency currency to be issued by the banking associations.

PROTEST REACHES BRYAN.

Belgian Minister Transmits Report Of Airship Exploit.

Washington, D. C.—E. Havenith, the Belgian Minister, presented a protest at the State Department against what he termed a "war against women and children"—the Zeppelin airship attack on Antwerp. Ten persons were killed, the Minister stated, four of them women. Eight people were injured.

Secretary Bryan was very reticent in discussing the attitude of the United States toward such protests and intimated that the State Department could take no action.

Reported activity of Brand Whitlock, the American Minister, in officially protesting to Germany, was denied by the Secretary.

CLASH IN MEXICO CITY.

Police Fire Into Rioters, But Are Overcome and Disarmed.

Vera Cruz.—That the break between the police and the Constitutionalists in the capital had reached the point of open conflict in which a few persons were killed was the information which reached American army headquarters here.

It is reported that after the re-opening of the saloons the worst elements of the new forces in the capital became unruly and abusive. The police, who had been retained from the old regime, fired into a crowd of the Constitutionalists. The latter, however, gained the upper hand, all the police were disarmed and quiet was restored.

120 NURSES FOR WAR ZONE.

American Red Cross Selects First Relief Party.

Washington, D. C.—American Red Cross officials are rapidly completing the enrollment of 30 surgeons and 120 nurses who will compose the first relief party to be sent to the European war zone on a chartered ship. Miss Jane A. Delano chairman of the nursing service, is selecting the nurses for the party from organizations in the North and East.

A U. S. WARSHIP SENT TO TURKEY

Powers Are Sounded and Make No Objection.

HAS A TWO-FOLD MISSION

Wanted For Protection Of Christians, Who Will Be In Danger When the New War Breaks Out.

Washington, D. C.—The United States has informed the powers of Europe of its intention to send the armored cruiser North Carolina to Turkey to carry gold for the relief of Americans, according to an announcement by the State Department.

While the North Carolina goes on a mission of financial relief, her presence in Turkish waters is intended to have a salutary effect with respect to the treatment of Christians and foreigners generally resident in the Ottoman Empire. Before taking this step, the United States took precautions to sound the powers of Europe as to whether they would object to the sending of an American warship to Turkey. In view of the extreme tension which prevails in Constantinople, and the probability that Turkey soon will be drawn into the European conflict, the American government desired to make plain that its purpose in sending the ship is in no way political, but designed only to aid and protect Americans.

France took occasion in her reply to the American government's inquiry to express approval of the purpose of the United States to take the initiative in sending a ship to Turkish waters for the protection of Christians, remarking that the sending of French warships at this time might be misinterpreted.

Diplomats and officials generally are expecting a declaration of war by Turkey on the Allies. Reliable advices are to the effect that just as soon as the big Russian army has penetrated a considerable distance into East Prussia, Turkey will strike. That both Bulgaria and Rumania will align themselves with Turkey against Greece and the rest of the Balkan States is also indicated by authentic information reaching here.

CABRERA BROTHERS KILLED.

Old Huerta Regiment Charged With Assassination.

Washington, D. C.—Dispatches to the Constitutionalist agency here reported the assassination of Ramon and Rafael Cabrera, brothers of Luis Cabrera, by members of the old Federal Twenty-ninth Regiment of Puebla. General Huerta formerly commanded this regiment. "No details of the crime were given," said a statement from the agency. "It is expected that the assassins will be summarily dealt with and that the entire regiment, which is being mustered out of service, will be punished."

CASHIER AND $40,000 GONE.

Shortage Found In Weston, W. Va., Bank, Which Is Closed.

Weston, W. Va.—Bank officers in going over the accounts of the First National Bank of Sutton, near here, found $40,000 missing. Homer Dean, cashier of the bank, has disappeared. The bank was closed immediately after the shortage was uncovered.

DESTROYERS IN A FIGHT.

British Boat Returns With Eleven Killed and Wounded.

Peking.—Up to noon the only engagement reported to have occurred near Tsingtau, capital of the German protectorate of Kiauchau, was an encounter between a German torpedo boat and a British torpedo boat on Sunday or Monday last. The British torpedo boat returned to Wei-Hai-Wei with 11 men killed and wounded. The German casualties are not known.

Tires at Before-War Prices

Goodyear Prices
It is Folly Today to Pay More

30 x 3	Plain Tread	$11.70
30 x 3½	" "	15.75
34 x 4	" "	24.35
36 x 4½	" "	35.00
37 x 5	" "	41.95

There exists now a new, compelling reason for buying Goodyear tires. It results from War conditions.

These leading tires—built of extra-fine rubber, in the same way as always—are selling today at June prices.

You will find today a very wide difference between most tire prices and Goodyears.

Due to Quick Action

Early in August—when war began—the world's rubber markets seemed closed to us. Rubber prices doubled almost over night.

Men could see no way to pay for rubber abroad, and no way to bring it in. We, like others—in that panic—were forced to higher prices. But we have since gone back to prices we charged before the war, and this is how we did it:

We had men in London and Singapore when the war broke out. The larger part of the world's rubber supply comes through there. We cabled them to buy up the pick of the rubber. They bought—before the advance—1,500,000 pounds of the finest rubber there.

Nearly all this is now on the way to us. And it means practically all of the extra-grade rubber obtainable abroad.

Today we have our own men in Colombo, Singapore and Para. Those are the world's chief sources of rubber. So we are pretty well assured of a constant supply, and our pick of the best that's produced.

We were first on the ground. We were quickest in action. As a result, we shall soon have in storage an almost record supply of this extra grade of rubber.

And we paid about June prices.

Now Inferior Grades Cost Double

About the only crude rubber available now for many makers is inferior. In ordinary times, the best tire makers refuse it. Much of it had been rejected. But that "off rubber" now sells for much more than we paid for the best.

The results are these:

Tire prices in general are far in advance of Goodyears. And many tire makers, short of supplies, will be forced to use second-grade rubber.

Be Careful Now

In Goodyears we pledge you the same grade tire as always. And that grade won for Goodyears the top place in Tiredom—the largest sale in the world.

And, for the time being, our prices are the same as before the war. We shall try to keep them there.

We accept no excessive orders, but dealers will be kept supplied. And we charge them, until further notice, only ante-bellum prices.

That means that Goodyears—the best tires built—are selling way below other tires.

GOODYEAR
AKRON, OHIO
No-Rim-Cut Tires
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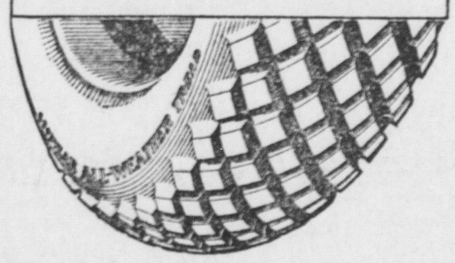


ARRESTED AS A SPY

James A. Patten Tells of His Escape From Europe.

Chicagoan and His Wife Suffered Hardships in Their Thrilling Flight From Carlsbad Through Belgium.

New York—James A. Patten, the former wheat operator of Chicago, who was one of the American refugees returning by the Red Star liner Finland, told a thrilling story of his escape from Germany after war had been declared. With Mrs. Patten he left Carlsbad on August 2 and traveled via Herbesthal and Liege, where they arrived just as hostilities had begun.

"We left Carlsbad for Nuremburg by train, as the authorities took my automobile," said Mr. Patten. "We did not know the war had broken out then, as no news of the situation was given out in Carlsbad.

"Trouble began as soon as we struck the German border. We reached Nuremburg at 9 p. m. and were promptly turned out of the train and arrested as spies. My wife and I were taken to the police station and cross-examined. I showed what credentials I had, but it was not until the American consul there showed up that we were released, two hours later. A great crowd which had gathered outside, expecting possibly to see us executed, hooted us as we left the station.

"We were able to get a train to Cologne, however, into which city thousands of troops were pouring when we arrived. We got a train supposedly for Ostend, but we were stopped at Herbesthal on the Belgian border. We had to get out of the train at 10 p. m. It was raining and we had nothing to eat and no place to go.

"There was no chance to get another train, but about one o'clock the next morning I managed to get hold of a one-horse cart driven by a peasant who said he would take us to Verviers, where he thought we could get a train for Liege. He gave us some crusts of bread which was the first we we had to eat for 18 hours.

"On the road we passed the most pitiful procession of German refugees fleeing from Belgium. Some were in vehicles, but the majority were trudging in the dust, pushing or pulling their baggage in carts. Women with babies at the breast were walking in the noonday sun.

"From Verviers we proceeded by another cart toward Liege. We had not progressed three miles when we came upon a party of Belgian engineers mining the road. They had great piles of dynamite stacked there ready to plant in the ditches they were digging across the roadway.

"They advised us to go to Liege by another road; we hastened to do so.

"Two hours later another party of Americans were halted at that very spot by a skirmish between the Belgians and uhlans. They were forced to lie in a ditch while the Belgians fired over them. Next day 3,000 Germans were killed by the same mines we had seen the engineers planting.

"Soon after we got a train for Ostend. We did not see any of the fighting at Liege, but could hear the firing."

In the Early Hours.

Mrs. Clubleigh (as hubby leaves for office)—And you will come home early, won't you, John?

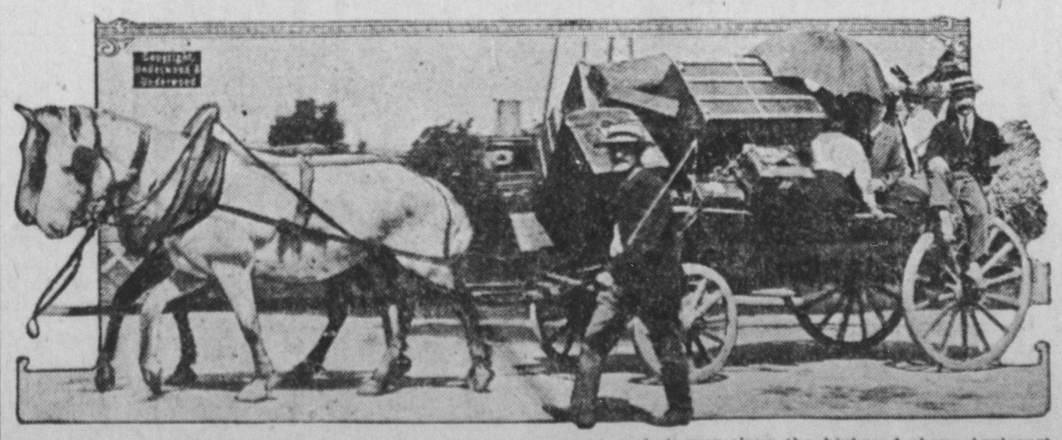
Clubleigh—Yes, dear; I'll try hard not to be late for breakfast.

Both.

Bill—Did you ever notice how long a woman is, coming to a point?

Jill—Well, do you mean when she is telling a story or sharpening a lead pencil?

AMERICAN REFUGEES FLEEING FROM WAR ZONE



American refugees, with their baggage, on a hay wagon making their way along the highroad above Avricourt, a French village near Luneville. This party, which was without food from early in the morning of August 1 until August 3, reached the railway at Embermenil half an hour before all train service was suspended.

MUST KNOW HUMAN NATURE

Functions of the Novelist Are of the Highest Order, According to Sir Gilbert Parker.

Although Sir Gilbert Parker has enjoyed a popular vogue such as is almost never granted to a serious novelist, there are few writers in the world who take a loftier view of the writer's functions than does Parker.

In a recent article at the time of the issue of his new novel, "You Never Know Your Luck," Parker observed that, keen though the politician's eye must be if he is to obtain popularity and manage men, it is as nothing compared with that of the writer, who must observe the characteristics of human nature infinitely more acutely.

Says Sir Gilbert: "He must note not only the symptoms which may indicate a passing functional derangement of the moral and mental constitution, he must go infinitely deeper if he wants to know character. He must find out, it may be, the more or less obscure thing, the disease or corruption lying behind the many obvious symptoms, and it is probable that he will find his key in some small, elusive thing which is a danger signal to the trained mind to which is given also the trained eye.

"To a registering eye, an eye which sees and photographs, there comes, under stress of the senses and the illumination which follows, a moving picture of innumerable things in their proper places, the automatic memory of the thousand visualized objects."

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Rhodes and Rain.

Among the stories in the duchess of Aosta's book is one relating to the celebrated statue of Cecil Rhodes which stands in the main square of Bulawayo. The empire builder is figured in contemplation of his achievement, with head bared.

The whole district had been grievously plagued by drought for over a twelvemonth, when the natives got up a great agitation and marched in enormous numbers to the square, and, thronging around the statue of Cecil Rhodes, insisted that it should immediately be given a top hat.

They said that "Heaven respects this great creator of empire too much to send the needed rain while he stands there bareheaded."

Some Hint.

They had been talking as they walked. She had remarked pathetically:

"Oh, it must be terrible to a man to be rejected by a woman!"

"Indeed it must," was his response.

Then, after a while, with sympathetic ingenuousness, she exclaimed: "It doesn't seem that I could ever have the heart to do it." And there comes a silence between them as he thought it over.

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Feeling That Is General.

First Passenger—I understand that your city has the rottenest political ring in the country.

Second Pasenger—That's right. But how did you know where I'm from?

First Passenger—I don't.—Toledo Blade.

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Knew the Men.

"Why has she never married?"

"She doesn't like to stay alone nights."—Houston Post.

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A Maryland Case.

Joseph A. White, upholsterer in naval academy, 54 Cornhill St., Annapolis, Md., says: "I had rheumatic pains through my back and shoulders and even in my fingers. My kidneys acted too freely and the secretions were painful in passage and filled with sediment. As soon as I used Doan's Kidney Pills, I felt better and my kidneys got normal. I give Doan's Kidney Pills all the credit for my cure."

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WANTED TO EXCHANGE SEATS

Man Sitting in Draft Had Reason for Inquiring as to Presence of Christian Scientist.

Dr. Henry Moskowitz, president of the New York civil service commission, tells this story.

It happened at the state convention of the Progressives at Syracuse.

"A quiet-spoken man near one of the doors arose and inquired if there happened to be a Christian Scientist among the assemblage.

"In answer to his question a lady left her seat and wended her way to the man.

"'I am a Christian Science teacher,' she said. 'What can I do for you?'

"'If you do not mind changing seats with me, I would appreciate it very much,' hesitatingly replied the man. 'This draft is not very good for my cold.'"

Preferred the Next Room.

When three-year-old Ward's parents went away for the night his sister undertook to hear his prayers. After this had been done Ward remained on his knees asking questions.

Finally he asked: "Sister, where is God?"

"God is everywhere," she replied.

A pause, while the little boy considered this answer. Then he asked: "Is he in this room?"

"Why, certainly."

Ward jumped up hastily and caught his sister's hand.

"Let's get into the next room!" he cried.

His Two Dollars Wasted.

They met at the crossroads.

"What is Sile looking so glum about these days?" asked the farmer.

"Gosh! He thinks he's been bunkoed again," drawled the railsplitter.

"Do tell!"

"Yeas. By heck, he paid a dollar for a bottle of stuff that was advertised to make yeou live 200 years an' now he's discovered that some one has predicted that the world will come to an end this year."

A Thing the Wealthy Miss.

The rich and proud needn't think they have all the pleasure there is in life, never experiencing, for instance, the delightful thrill that comes when the lawn mower breaks down hopelessly.—Ohio State Journal.

The Weapon.

Tommy—What do Jockeys beat their records with?

Willie—I know! With their whips.

SISTER'S TRICK

But It All Came Out Right.

How a sister played a trick that brought rosy health to a coffee fiend is an interesting tale:

"I was a coffee fiend—a trembling, nervous, physical wreck, yet clinging to the poison that stole away my strength. I mocked at Postum and would have none of it.

"One day my sister substituted a cup of piping hot Postum for my morning cup of coffee but did not tell me what it was. I noticed the richness of it and remarked that the 'coffee' tasted fine but my sister did not tell me I was drinking Postum for fear I might not take any more.

"She kept the secret and kept giving me Postum instead of coffee until I grew stronger, more tireless, got a better color in my sallow cheeks and a clearness to my eyes, then she told me of the health-giving, nerve-strengthening life-saver she had given me in place of my morning coffee.

"From that time I became a disciple of Postum and no words can do justice in telling the good this cereal drink did me. I will not try to tell it, for only after having used it can one be convinced of its merits."

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Postum comes in two forms:

Regular Postum—must be well boiled. 15c and 25c packages.

Instant Postum—is a soluble powder. A teaspoonful dissolves quickly in a cup of hot water and, with cream and sugar, makes a delicious beverage instantly. 30c and 50c tins.

The cost per cup of both kinds is about the same.

"There's a Reason" for Postum.

—sold by Grocers.

The Markets

NEW YORK.—Wheat—Spot easy; No. 2 red, 101½c elevator domestic; No. 2 hard, 103 c i f New York; No. 1 Northern Duluth, 108¾, and No. 1 Northern Manitoba, 112¼ c i f Buffalo, all nominal.

Corn—Spot easy; No. 2 yellow, 91c c i f to arrive; Argentine, 87@93, as to quality, delivered.

Cheese—State, whole milk, fresh, colored or white, specials, 16½@16¾c; do, average fancy, 16@16¼; do, fresh daisies, 16½@16¾; Wisconsin whole milk, fresh, daisies, 16¼@16½; skims, 12@13½.

PHILADELPHIA. — Wheat — Car lots, in export elevator, No. 2 red, spot and August, 94@98c; No. 1 Northern Duluth, $1.15@1.20; No. 2 red Western, 99c@$1.02.

Corn—Car lots, new, No. 2 yellow, 94@95c; steamer yellow, 92@93c.

Oats—No. 2 white, new, 48@48½c; standard white, new, 47@47½c; No. 3 white, new, 46½@47c.

Butter — Western, solid-packed creamery, fancy, specials, 43c; extra, 31@31½c; extra firsts, 30c; firsts, 28@29c; seconds, 26@27c; nearby prints, fancy, 34c; average extra, 32@33c; firsts, 29@30c; seconds, 27@28c; jobbing sales of fancy prints, 38@40c.

Eggs—Nearby extra, 29c per dozen; firsts, $7.80 per standard case; nearby current receipts, $6.90@7.20 per case; Western extra, firsts, $7.80 per standard case; firsts, $6.90@7.20; seconds, $5.40@5.70; candled and recrated fresh eggs, 32@34c per dozen.

Live Poultry—Fowls, 17@17½c; old roosters, 11@12c; spring chickens, 18@19c; medium, 15@17c; ducks, old, 12@13c; do do, spring, 13@14c; pigeons, per pair, 15@18c.

Dressed Poultry—Fresh-killed poultry, fowls, per lb, selected, heavy, 20c; extra, 19c; average, receipts, 4@4½ lbs, average, 17@18c; do do, smaller size, 13@15c; old roosters, dry-picked, 13c; broiling chickens, weighing 2 lbs and upward apiece, 20@21c; do do, smaller sizes, 17@19c; do do, Western, weighing 2 lbs and upward apiece, 18@19c; do do, smaller sizes, 16@17c; squabs, per dozen, white, weighing 11 to 12 lbs, per dozen, $4.10@4.50; weighing 9 to 10 lbs, $3.25@4; do do, weighing 8 lbs, $2.50@2.75; do do, weighing 7 lbs, $2@2.25; do do, weighing 5 and 6 lbs, $1.50@1.75; dark and No. 2, 60c@$1.10.

BALTIMORE.—Wheat—No. 2 red spot and August, 98¼c; September, 98¼; No. 2 red Western spot, 99¾ bid; September, 100¼ bid.

Corn—Contract, 89½c.

Oats—No. 2 white, new, 46¾c; standard white, new, 46@46½, old, 46½@47; No. 3 white, new, 45¾@46; old, 46@46¼.

Rye—Domestic delivery—No. 2 rye, Western, 87@88c; No. 3, do do, 81@82; No. 4, do do, 78@80; No. 2 do, nearby, 80@81; bag lots, nearby, as to quality, 70@80.

Hay—No. 1 timothy, $20; standard, do, $19@19.50; No. 2, do, $17.50@18; No. 3, do, $15.50@16.50; light clover mixed, $18@18.50; No. 1 do, $17@17.50; No. 2, do, $15@17; heavy, do, $16.50@17; No. 1 clover, $15.50@16; No. 2, do, $13@15; No. 3, do, $10@12; no established grade, $9@12; sample grade, as to kind, quality and condition, $7@10

Straw—No. 1 straight rye, $12@12.50; No. 2, do, $11.50@12; No. 1 tangled, $9@10; No. 2, do, $8.50@9; No. 1 wheat, $7; No. 2, do, $6.50; No. 1 oat, $9@9.50; No. 2, do, $7.50@8.

Butter—Creamery, fancy, $31½@32; creamery, choice, 29@30; creamery, good, 27@28; creamery, prints, 32@34; creamery, blocks, 31@33; ladles, 21@22; Maryland and Pennsylvania, rolls, 21@22; Ohio, rolls, 20@20½; West Virginia, rolls, 20@20½.

Cheese—Jobbing lots, per lb, 18@19c.

Eggs—Maryland, Pennsylvania and nearby firsts, 24c; Western firsts, 24; West Virginia firsts, 24; Southern firsts, 23. Recrated and rehandled eggs, ½@1c higher.

Live Poultry—Chickens—Old hens, heavy, 16@16½c; old hens, small to medium, 15c; old roosters, 10; spring, 18. Ducks—Old, 12c; spring, white Pekins, 3 lbs and over, 14; spring puddle, 2 lbs and over, 13; spring, smaller, 12; spring, Indiana runners, 12. Pigeons—Young, per pair, 15@20; old, 20 Guinea Fowl—Old, each, 25c; young, 1¼ lbs and over, 40; smaller, 20@25.

Live Stock

CHICAGO.—Hogs—Bulk, $9@9.30; light, $8@9.50; mixed, $8.75@9.50; heavy, $8.60@9.35; rough, $8.60@8.75; pigs, $7@8.85.

Cattle—Beeves, $6.90@10.60; steers, $6.30@9.40; stockers and feeders, $5.40@8.10; cows and heifers, $3.60@9.20; calves, $7.75@10.75.

Sheep—Sheep, $5.10@6.10; yearlings, $6@7; lambs, $6.50@8.50.

ST. LOUIS.—Pigs and lights, $7@9.55; mixed and butchers', $9.25@9.60; good, heavy, $9.40@9.55.

Cattle—Native beef steers, $7.50@10.40; cows and heifers, $5@9.50; stockers and feeders, $5@7.50; Texas and Indiana steers, $6@8.25; cows and heifers, $9.50; stockers and feeders, $5@7.50; Indiana steers, $6@8.25; cows and heifers, $4@6.50; native calves, $6@10.50.

Sheep — Native culls, $4@5.25; lambs, $7@8.15.

PAPER ITSELF WAS EVIDENCE

In This Case Examiner Required No Pledge That Student Had Done the Work Himself.

At a certain college custom ordains that at examination time each of the candidates shall write the following pledge at the bottom of his papers:

"I hereby declare, on my honor, that I have neither given nor received assistance during the examination."

One student, after handing in one of the papers, suddenly remembered that in his haste he had omitted to write the oath. On the following day he sought out one of the examiners and told him that he had forgotten to put the required pledge on his paper.

The examiner looked at him over the top of his glasses and dryly remarked:

"Quite unnecessary. Your paper in itself is sufficient evidence. I've just been correcting it!"

BUMPS ITCHED ON BODY

Route No. 3, Cooper, Texas.—"I was taken with an itching and my whole body got covered with little red bumps. It would itch till I would scratch the blood out of my skin and then it was just like fire. I could not sleep at night until I got Cuticura Soap and Ointment. I would bathe in warm water with Cuticura Soap and then put on the Cuticura Ointment and I got well quick. Two weeks from the time I commenced to use Cuticura Soap and Ointment I was sound and well and I have not been bothered since.

"My baby had a breaking out on his ear and behind it and he would claw the skin off. It spread and his little ear was nearly rotted off. I washed it good with the Cuticura Soap and then put on the Cuticura Ointment and they healed it up." (Signed) Mrs. Mary Boles, Jan. 28, 1914.

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Pass the Vinegar.

A gaily gowned and garrulous housemaid sat down by an acquaintance on a trolley and at once said:

"Hello, Sadie! Where you livin' now?"

"Nowheres," was the reply.

"How's that?"

"I'm married."

"You ain't!"

"Sure thing. Look at that!"

She held up her ungloved left hand in triumph; for there on the third finger was a shining new wedding-ring.

Staring at it in wonder for a moment, the other girl asked, "Well, who got stung?"

Forbidden? Yes, But—

The sailor had been showing the lady visitor over the ship. In thanking him she said:

"I see that by the rules of your ship tips are forbidden."

"Lor' bless year 'eart, ma'am," replied Jack, "so were the apples in the garden of Eden."

Sweet Sorrow.

"Who wrote: 'Parting is such sweet sorrow?'"

"Some duck who coughed up his last 15 cents for a julep."

BY NO MEANS A STRANGER

Not the First Time Lawyer Had Slumbered With the Companion of His Travels.

The new senator from Alabama Francis Shelly White, is a lawyer and has a large practice in his state. Sometimes his work takes him out in the interior, and on one of these trips he was accompanied by his client, and client being a pious man, a deacon in the church to which White belonged.

It was late at night when the darky pulled up his span before the doors of the inn, which was presided over by a lady of generous heart and equal proportions. When he went to the desk to engage a room White was apologetically told that it was impossible, on account of the influx of visitors, to give him a separate chamber.

"I guess I can get a separate bed, then," said he. But to this the reply was the same.

"May I ask who is to be my bedfellow?" asked White, who did not relish the idea of sharing his couch with a stranger.

"Why," replied the landlady, "it will be the gentleman with whom you came."

"Oh, that's all right, then," said White, with a sigh of relief. "He and I are both deacons in the same church and have been sleeping together during the 11 o'clock sermon in the First Baptist church for 20 years."—Providence Journal.

Trials of Teaching.

Mrs. Hitch was having some trouble with a little fellow in her spelling class at Claysville.

"B-e-d, spells bed," she explained, over and over again; "b-e-d, bed. Do you understand?"

"Yes'm."

"Well, c-a-t spells cat, d-o-g spells dog, and b-e-d spells— What did I tell you b-e-d spells?"

"Dunno."

"Don't you know! You don't know what b-e-d spells after all I've told you?"

"No'm."

"Well, once more, b-e-d spells what you sleep in. Now, what do you sleep in?"

"My drawers!" triumphantly exclaimed the urchin.—Cynthiana Democrat.

Not His First Love.

"Am I the first girl you ever loved?" sighed the maid.

"You certainly are not!" proclaimed the youth.

This was not what she had been brought up to expect, so she became really interested.

"I am not?" she repeated.

"You are not. You are merely the best of the bunch. Are you satisfied with that?"

Well, was she?—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Proof Positive.

"Hold on a minute," said a man to his party over the telephone, "central's on the line."

"I ain't, either!" exclaimed the indignant central.

Double Supply Needed.

"Maud spends an awful lot of money for complexion powder."

"Naturally; the two-faced thing!"

WOMEN WHO ARE ALWAYS TIRED

May Find Help in This Letter.

Swan Creek, Mich.—"I cannot speak too highly of your medicine. When through neglect or overwork I get run down and my appetite is poor and I have that weak, languid, always tired feeling, I get a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and it builds me up, gives me strength, and restores me to perfect health again. It is truly a great blessing to women, and I cannot speak too highly of it. I take pleasure in recommending it to others."—Mrs. ANNIE CAMERON, R.F.D., No. 1, Swan Creek, Michigan.

Another Sufferer Relieved.

Hebron, Me.—"Before taking your remedies I was all run down, discouraged and had female weakness. I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and used the Sanative Wash, and find today that I am an entirely new woman, ready and willing to do my housework now, where before taking your medicine it was a dread. I try to impress upon the minds of all ailing women I meet the benefits they can derive from your medicines."—Mrs. CHARLES ROWE, R. F. D., No. 1, Hebron, Maine.

If you want special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., (confidential) Lynn, Mass. Your letter wil be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.

Wounded Bird Upsets Canoe.

A maimed sparrow, which fell upon Mrs. Floyd Nesbitt's hat, and got entangled in the trimmings, nearly caused her death by drowning on Lake Oscawana, New York state, one day recently.

She was paddling alone in a canoe, when the bird landed on her hat and was caught. Mrs. Nesbitt, frightened, jumped to her feet and overbalanced the canoe. Her husband, who was on shore, swam out and brought her to safety.

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THE CENTRE REPORTER.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 3, 1914

LOCALS

Rev. Barry preached in the Reformed church Sunday evening.

Miss Ruth Smith on Tuesday returned to Bloomsburg Normal to enter upon her second year of school.

One of F. V. Goodhart's team of black horses has been suffering from a severe cold during the past week.

Mrs. Malcolm Luse of Norfolk, Virginia, is visiting at the home of her husband's brother, P. H. Luse, above Centre Hall.

Mrs. S M. Goodhart of Johnstown came to Centre Hall Sunday and will spend a short time at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Durst.

Prof. L. O Packer returned to Pittsburgh Saturday where he holds the position of teacher of mathematics and physical director in one of the leading high schools in the Smoky City.

Mrs. Eliza Smith returned from an extended visit to Emporium, Kansas, the latter part of last week. She was at the home of a daughter, and while she liked the west very much, the old home at Centre Hill had such strong attractions that her face was set to the east.

Dr. H. H. Longwell, successor to Dr. J. V. Foster, purchased a Krit runabout from C. S. Brungart. Dr. Longwell is accustomed to handling a car, and it was but a short time after receiving the car that he was running it for business. Mr. Brungart went to Philadelphia by train on Monday, and Tuesday returned with the car in question.

In his eighty-fifth year, John G. King is the oldest male resident in Centre Hall. He is also an active man for his heavy burden of years, but they appear to rest lightly upon him and every day finds him busily engaged in some manual endeavor. In his workshop he spends the greater part of each day at work on intricate machinery, and when it comes to swinging an axe he causes men twenty years his junior to sit up and take notice.

Tusseyville

Mrs. John Slack, is on the sick list.

Philip Robb of Bellefonte spent a few days the past week with his aunt, Mrs. Thomas Swariz.

Gilbert Henry spent Sunday with his parents in Milroy.

Mrs. Henry Moyer of Lemont is visiting for some time among relatives and friends at this place.

Miss Edna Martz of Altoona is visiting for some time at the home of her uncle, William Martz.

Miss Matilda Fortney of Altoona visited among friends here from Thursday until Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Snook and daughter Alice of Lewistown spent Saturday and Sunday at the Ezra Ripka home.

David K. Geiss of Philadelphia and his grandson, George Geiss, of Bellefonte spent Thursday night at the William Bitner home.

Rev. B. F. Bieber of Milton conducted the Harvest Home service in the Union church, Sunday afternoon. He was accompanied here by Mrs. Bieber and their daughter Frances.

PENN HALL.

Mrs. Guyer of Mifflinburg is visiting at the Robert Bartges home for a few weeks.

Mrs. William Musser of Columbia is visiting among friends here and at Spring Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. German and children of Altoona visited for a few days at the home of Mrs. German's sister, Mrs. Charles Bartges.

Everybody was glad for the rain we had last week, as everything was very dry, and a lot of people were out of water.

Rev. Geesey will preach the Harvest Home sermon on Sunday morning at this place. Everybody is welcome.

Harry Shreckengast of Farmers Mills is putting up a porch around one end and one side of James Houser's house near Penn Hall. It will improve the home quite a bit.

Quite a number of young folks had a corn roast in Mr. Corman's meadow on Wednesday evening.

Woodward.

After spending three weeks at the hotel Rev. Taylor, D. D., a Lutheran minister, wife and daughters, Misses Romaine and Elizabeth, and son returned to their home in Altoona on Sunday.

Miss Lulu Gulswite visited Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Boob in Millheim last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Miller of Rebersburg and Mrs. Lloyd Walker and children, Glenn and Gladys, of Pittsburgh spent a day last week with the former's sister, Mrs. R. M. Wolfe.

Frank Lose and family, Harris Stover and family and Mabel Wolf went to State College Friday.

Last Friday Dr. Musser took Mrs. James Weaver to a Philadelphia hospital where she was operated on, Saturday.

Miss Lida Hosterman spent last week with friends in Mifflinburg and Milton.

Prof. A. T. Ilgen Dead.

Prof. Albert T. Ilgen died Wednesday of last week at Schuylkill Haven, Schuylkill county, after an illness of three years with nervous trouble, aged thirty-nine years, nine months and twenty-seven days. His body was shipped to Tylersville where funeral services were held from the home of his father, Thomas L. Ilgen, interment being made at Tylersville.

A. T. Ilgen was born at Logan Mills where he received his early schooling. He was a graduate of Lock Haven State Normal School and also of Lafayette College, where he prepared for the teaching profession. He taught his first High school in Centre Hall and was elected two terms—1900-01, and 1901 02. His services gave universal satisfaction, and he proved himself to be an efficient and scholarly instructor. He taught later at Mauch Chunk and his last work was as principal of the Tamaqua schools, three years ago. Six or eight years ago he was employed by the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Co. as civil engineer, and while in this line of work constructed an electric road between Easton and Doylestown.

Surviving him are his wife and two children—James K. and Dorothy of Bethlehem, and the following brothers: Wallace N, near Centre Hall, Ephriam J, William H., and Eldon R, all of Tylersville. Socially he was a Mason, being affiliated with the Old Fort Lodge, F. & A. M.

Brush Valley.

The schools opened Monday.

Some of our farmers will sow wheat this week.

James Packer of Snyder county is in our valley doing mason work.

Some of our people have corn on shock; better wait a little longer.

Some of our folks are attending the Bellefonte fair while others are attending the William's Grove picnic.

On account of the inclemency of the weather no one from this place attended the Sunday-school picnic at Rebersburg.

Several of our young stalwarts attended the Y. P. C. A. at Farmers Mills on Sunday evening.

Chas. Duck purchased a Ford automobile which he intends to use as a hack at fairs, picnics, etc.

The members of the United Evangelical church have put a new tin roof on the church.

George Sheesley of Penn Hall was obliged to walk home for his auto balked, but found a place of shelter in Bethesda church shed.

CENTRE OAK

Lawrence Meeker is on the sick list; hope for his speedy recovery.

Fine growing weather; the nice rain last week helped the corn and also the plowing.

George W. Long, the painter, is building a barn on his lot. He must be going to get a horse.

Mrs. Erma Wise has returned from her Harrisburg trip and is more than pleased.

Misses Ethel and Mildred Long, and Russell Grove, have just returned from their trip to Altoona reporting a very nice time.

Mrs. Meeker's mother, Mrs. E. J. Bush, also Mrs. Emma Powell and daughter of Clearfield, spent a few days at the Meeker home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Knarr and son and Mr. and Mrs. Milton Bradford and children spent Friday evening in this community.

J. W. Foreman and family, also Miss Esther Foreman, the latter from State College, spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Homan.

Joseph K. Bitner has built a large tile block silo on his farm. Quite a number of silos are being built this fall—Joseph Bitner, W. D. Bartges, Israel Spayd and Harry Frankenberger all in this vicinity.

Pine Grove Mills

Mrs. Joe Goss of Braddock has been spending several weeks among relatives here.

Mrs. Smiley of Altoona spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Goss.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Keller of Pittsburgh are visitors at the Keller home.

Miss Ella Livingston has returned from a month's visit with her sister at McAlevey's Fort.

Mrs. William Keller and two children returned to their home in Pittsburgh after spending several weeks with relatives here.

Misses Mandella and Bertha Smith visited friends in Johnstown last week.

Miss Mary Watt is visiting friends in Milesburg.

Miss Nancy Purson of Altoona is spending a week with her sister, Mrs. L. D. Musser.

Mrs. John McFinley of Cleveland, Ohio, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Martz.

Luther Dale and three children of Oak Hall spent Friday in town.

Mrs. Frank Reed and two children visited last week with Mrs. Reed's mother, Mrs. Fishburn of State College.

Mrs. Jennie Keller is visiting relatives in Pittsburgh.

Mrs. George Graham of State College spent Saturday with friends here.

Miss Leoda Decker is visiting her sister, Mrs. Foster, in Altoona.

Miss Rhetta Ward is visiting relatives in Pittsburgh.

Mrs. Fannie Ulrich and little son William of Newark, N. J., are visiting Mrs. Ulrich's sister, Mrs. Randolph at he Saint Elmo.

FRUITTOWN.

D. C. Fohringer of this place transacted business in Reedsville on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bitner and daughter returned to their home at this place after spending a week at Milroy.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Fleisher of this place spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Sparr Wert, of Aaronsburg.

Mae McClellan spent Sunday with her aunt, Orpha Fleisher of this place.

Clyde Nevil, who was employed by Robert Glasgow of Earlystown is at home with his mother at present.

Grove meeting will begin this evening (Thursday) in J. H. Moyer's grove at this place. The meeting will continue over Sunday. Everybody is cordially invited to attend.

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LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS

REGISTER'S NOTICE.—

The following accounts have been examined, passed and filed of record in the Register's Office for the inspection of heirs and legatees, creditors and all others in anywise interested, and will be presented to the Orphans' Court of Centre County for confirmation on Wednesday, the 30th day September, A. D., 1914.

1. The first and final account of John B. Hoffman, administrator of etc. of Sophia Veard, late of South Philipsburg, deceased.

2. The first and partial account of Anton Neubauer and Harry N. Neubauer, executors of etc. of Adam Mayer, late of Philipsburg borough, deceased.

3. The first and final account of Harry B. Snyder, surviving administrator of etc. of Henry A. Snyder, late of Liberty township, deceased.

4. The first and final account of Annie P. Wilkes, administratrix of etc. of James S. Wilkes, late of Milesburg borough, deceased.

5. The first and final account of Grace M. Keefer, administratrix of etc. of Sydney A. Keefer, late of Bellefonte borough, deceased.

6. The first and final account of W. H. Phillips, guardian of Clarence I. Phillips, Bessie Phillips and Earl O. Phillips, minor children of C. N. Phillips, deceased, as filed by Catharine Phillips, executrix of W. H. Phillips, deceased.

7. The first and final account of James A. Beaver, administrator of etc. of Ellen M. Harris, late of Florence, Italy, as stated and filed by Commonwealth Trust Company, of Harrisburg, Pa., administrator of etc. of James A. Beaver, deceased.

8. The first and final account of S. S. Williams, administrator of etc., of Joseph G. Williams, late of Howard Borough, deceased.

9. The first and final account of B. F. Hoffer, administrator of etc. of Harry K. Hoffer, late of Philipsburg borough, deceased.

10. The first and final account of Charles S. Bartges, administrator etc. of David Bartges, late of Gregg township, deceased.

11. The first triennial account of Ida Cunningham and William H. Cunningham, guardians of James Palmer, a minor child of Sadie Palmer, late of Benner township, deceased.

12. The first and final account of Sarah McClenahan and William McClenahan, executors of etc. of Samuel Bruss, late of Potter township, deceased.

13. The first partial account of W. D. Zerby, administrator D. B. N. C. T. A. of William Auman, late of Potter township, deceased.

14. The final account of C. S. Bodtorf, surviving executor of &c., of William Colyer, late of Centre Hall Borough, deceased.

15. The first and final account of George T. Graham, executor C. T. A. of &c., of William Hayes Graham, late of Philipsburg Borough, deceased.

16. The third partial account of J. Elmer Miller, executor of &c., of Elias Miller, late of Miles township, deceased.

17. First and final account of Elmer C. Ross, Guardian of Mabel E. Gray, minor child of Sarah Minerva Gray, late of Centre County, deceased. Said minor child being now of age.

18. The first and final account of Sadie M. Kunes, administratrix of &c., of Harry A. Kunes, late of Union township, deceased.

19. The account of George Calvin Close, administrator of &c., of Patrick Close, late of Rush township, deceased.

20. The first and partial account of Luther Hess Waring, executor of Drusilla C. Hess, late of Harris township, deceased.

21. First and final account of Claude B. Hess, surviving administrator of C. D. Miller, late of Ferguson township, deceased.

22. The first and final account of W. G. Runkle, executor of the last will and testament of James H. Duck, late of Gregg township, deceased.

J. FRANK SMITH,
Register.

Register's Office, Bellefonte, Pa.,
August 24, A. D. 1914.

LEGAL NOTICE—

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons interested that the following inventories of the goods and chattles set apart to widows under the provisions of the Act of April 14th, 1851, have been confirmed nisi by the Clerk of the Orphans' Court of Centre County, and if no exceptions be filed on or about the first day of the next term the same will be confirmed absolutely.

1. The inventory and appraisement of personal property of J. H. B. Hartman, late of Millheim borough, deceased, as the same was set apart to his widow, Sarah E. Hartman.

2. The inventory and appraisement of the personal property of George M. Swabb, late of Ferguson township, deceased, as the same was set apart to his widow, Myrtle I. Swabb.

3. The inventory and appraisement of the personal property of Gottlieb D. Armbruster, late of Gregg township, deceased, as the same was set apart to his widow, Sarah Armbruster.

4. The inventory and appraisement of the personal property of Alfred Walter, late of Millheim borough, deceased, as the same was set apart to his widow, Junie A. Walter.

5. The inventory and appraisement of the personal property of Charles A. Doebler, late of Miles township, deceased, as the same was set apart to his widow, Jennie M. Doebler.

6. The inventory and appraisement of the personal property of Jesse Kreamer, late of Millheim borough, deceased, as the same was set apart to his widow, Annie Kreamer.

7. The inventory and appraisement of the personal property of W. W. Neese, late of Gregg township, deceased, as the same was set apart to his widow, Elizabeth Neese.

8. The inventory and appraisement of the personal property of William Pealer, late of Gregg township, deceased, as the same wrs set apart to his widow, Eliza Jane Pealer.

9. The inventory and appraisement of the personal property of Joseph S. Harpster, late of Worth township, deceased, as the same was set apart to his widow, Sarah M. Harpster.

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LEGAL NOTICE.—

Notice is hereby given that there has been appraised and set apart to Lillie L. Lucas, widow of J. Watson Lucas, late of Curtin township, deceased, personal property and real estate, under the Act of June, 1903.

REAL ESTATE.

All those two certain tracts of land consolidated situate in Curtin township, Centre County, bounded and described as follows, to wit:

On the north by Curtin & Co. and others, on the east and south by land formerly of Hezekiah Watkins and others, and on the west by Curtin & Co., containing forty-four acres, and one hundred and thirty-four perches, more or less, being known as the Morris Watkins and R. M. Watkins properties. Appraised subject to a certain mortgage recorded in Mortgage Book No. 34, page 77, in the office of Recorder of Centre County.

The above appraisement has been confirmed nisi by the Court, and if no exceptions be filed thereto within thirty days the same will be confirmed absolutely by the Court.

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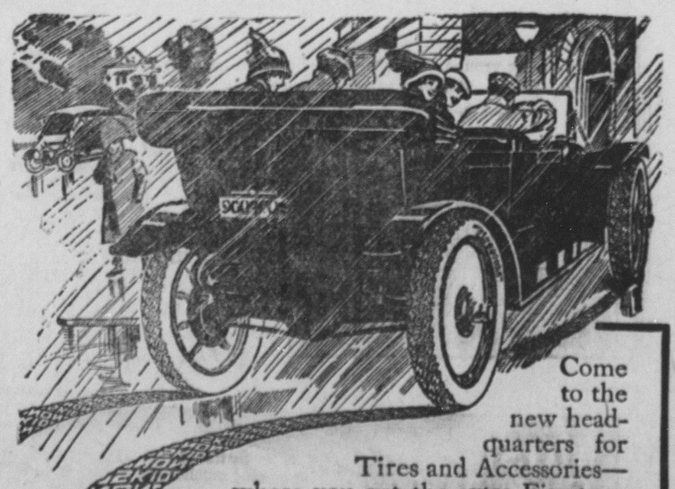

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